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Roosevelt Talks On Citizenship To the Parisians

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, April 23.—Colonel Roosevelt delivered his eagerly awaited lecture on Citizenship in a Republic in the Sorbonne this afternoon. The audience was composed of all members of the French cabinet, students selected from the university of Paris and many distinguished guests by whom to occasion was regarded as the most important feature of the distinguished American's visit to France.

According to a traditional custom Roosevelt entered without a formal presentation. Emile Boutroux presided and M. Liard, vice rector of the university of Paris, introduced Roosevelt.

Roosevelt spent the day in the old latin quarter across the Seine which for centuries has been one of the intellectual centers of the world. As a foreign member of the French Institute Roosevelt attended the regular session academy of moral and political sciences. He is entitled to wear a green brocaded uniform of an academician, but appeared in a frock coat dress for his lecture at the Sorbonne. He was most cordially received and his remarks wollowed with intense interest.

The cheering crowds were so thick in the streets here today that the police had to force a way for the automobile in which Col. Roosevelt and Ambassador Bacon rode about the city before the reception at the Sarbonne University.

In his speech at the university, Roosevelt departed from the printed manuscript long enough to attack the money interests which he charged over-ride human interest in the pursuit of material gain. His spirited words created a furore among the French listeners while applause at several instances lasted two minutes.

Police had frequent clashes with the crowds outside, who tried to force their way into the hall after it was already packer.

More Delay Is Feared

(By United Press.)

Kansas City, Mo., April 23.—Fate is still in evidence at the Hyde trial. Prosecutor Conkling was notified this morning that illness of R. D. Mitchell, another important state witness, will prevent his appearance for some time.

To Hasten Inquiry

(By United Press.)

Washington, April 23.—The Ballinger-Pinchot committee decided to hold sessions Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week in order to hasten the conclusion of the inquiry.

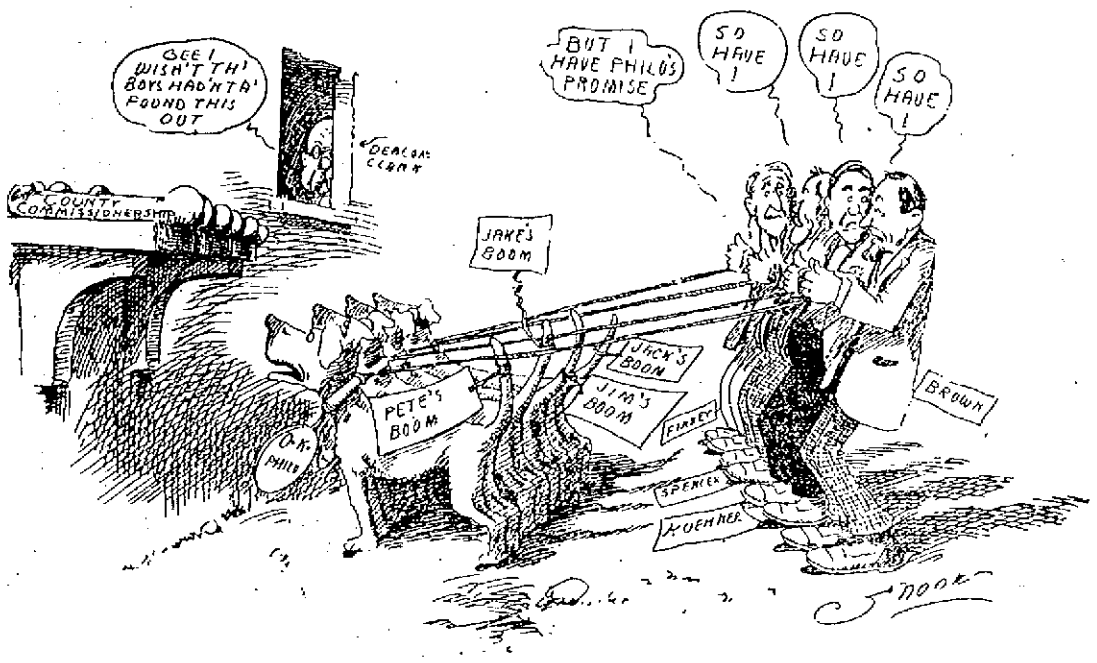
Should Be Spanked

(By United Press.)

Marietta, O., April 23.—Under the caption "The Junior Suspender" the suspended junior class of Marietta College tpday issued a four page paper ridiculing President Perry. The students sold them on the street and a second edition was necessary to supply the demand.

The authorities refuse to take back the students until they admit that their treatment of President Perry was premeditated and was meant as a direct slap at him. They refused to do this.

ONLY THREE BONES



Wolter To Die In The Chair

(By United Press.)

New York, April 23.—After a sound sleep Albert Wolter facing the electric chair for the murder of Ruth Wheeler joked with his jailers today and showed no signs of a breakdown. The conviction will be taken to the court of appeals if his parents agree to stand the expenses.

Wolters' case went to the jury late Friday and after a short deliberation a verdict of guilty in the first degree was returned.

A 16-year-old son of Mrs. Greenslate, is ill with typhoid fever at the home on Mill street.

TAFT TRIES TO RUSH CONGRESS

(By United Press.)

Washington, April 23.—Platform pledges are again haunting Taft and he is sparing no effort to get action on the Postal Savings bank bill, which seems to have struck a snag in the senate committee. Congress will probabl yadjourn early in June and Taft hopes to have the postal bill and the statehood bill pushed through. He is already confident of the passage of the railroad bill.

Saturday afternoon, after handing out a bunch of releases, President Gubleman wired Claude McCarthy, an outfielder of Zanesville, to report at once and he will likely be here on the midnight train Saturday.

Sues For Damages

(By United Press.)

Cincinnati, O., April 23.—Alleging that prominent men of Piqua, O., caused a libelous article regarding her marriage to Rev. Elmer E. Davidson, a Christian church minister to be inserted in the Piqua papers, Mrs. Laura B. Davidson of Washington, Ind., today filed suit against the men for $50,000 damages in federal court.

To Run As Open Shop

(By United Press.)

Canton, O., April 23.—The Starke Rolling mills which shut down recently because the employes formed a union, will open next Tuesday as an open shop. Strikers are planning to picket the plant. The old men have been offered their jobs.

BOUND TO GET BALLINGER

(By United Press.)

Washington, April 23.—It was rumored at the Ballinger hearing today that Attorney General Wickersham was to be subpoenaed before the committee. George O. Smith, director of the geological survey testified today that Associate Forester Price had said to him while speaking of Ballinger: "If we don't get him one way, we'll another."

Smith also denounced the magazines and periodicals, for what he terms garbling in the controversy.

Veto Is Likely

(By United Press.)

Washington, April 23.—The probability of President Taft vetoing the Rivers and Harbors bill was increased today, when he and Senator Burton held a private conference with Taft. Burton is known to be working against the bill.

The United States Express Co. received a large new safe from Cincinnati, Saturday.

Cold Record Broken In St. Louis

(By United Press.)

St. Louis, April 23.—Snowfall and cold record for the past 20 years was broken here today when a blizzard piled the streets with snow and lowered the mercury to 28.

MOTHERS DAY IN OHIO

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., April 23.—Governor Harmon today issued a proclamation designating May 8, 1910, as Mothers' Day. White carnations will be worn.

3 Men Are Saved

(By United Press.)

Amsterdam, O., April 23.—Three of the 18 men who were caught in the Amsterdam mine explosion Thursday night were brought out of the mine today, unconscious, but alive. The company is caring for them and their names are being withheld.

Hysteria prevailed at the top of the shaft, where the wives and families have gathered watching for the bodies of their loved ones.

DIVORCED FROM LOCAL GIRL

A divorce was obtained in the Kenton county court at Covington Thursday by J. H. Murphy from his wife, who before their marriage was Miss Carol Fout of this city.

The decree was granted on the grounds of abandonment. The couple were married July 2, 1904, and Mrs. Murphy is said to have abandoned her husband on Nov. 23, 1908, since which time she has been living with relatives in Cincinnati.

Is Taken to The Hospital

W. P. Mulvaney, a stone mason, who came here from Virginia eighteen months ago, was removed from the Biggs to Hempstead hospital Friday. He is suffering with lung trouble.

JEWS DRIVEN INTO EXILE

(By United Press.)

Berlin, Germany, April 23.—Driven from their homes with barely time to take their poor household furnishings, 10,000 Jews are being exiled from Kieff today, according to a special news dispatch from the Russian city. The wholesale expulsion, it is said, is being carried out on direct orders from Premier Stolypin. Their crime is settling in the city without permission from the government. Five days have been allotted to the city officials to clear all non-permanent Jews from the city.

Grave fears are felt here today that the move may be the beginning of anti-Semite demonstrations throughout Russia.

Chicago In Grasp Of A Big Blizzard

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Ill., April 23.—A heavy snow storm, accompanied by an icy northwest gale struck this city today, causing suffering to thousands, tying up transportation and imperiling several large boats on Lake Michigan.

Lake Superior is also in the throes of a blizzard.

Christy Knife Co. Plant Is Burned

(By United Press.)

Fremont, O., April 23.—One hundred and fifty men were thrown out of work and the business section of Fremont was threatened by a fire of unknown origin that gutted the plant of the Christy Knife Co. this morning. The loss is $50,000. The Christy plant was destroyed by fire just 10 years ago.

SIMPLE SERVICES OVER REMAINS OF MARK TWAIN

(By Associated Press).

New York, April 23.—The body of Samuel L. Clemens was brought from Redding, Conn., and simple funeral services held in the Brick Presbyterian church of this city, after which the body was taken to Elmira for burial. The church was crowded.

PUG DIES OF INJURIES

(By United Press.)

Boston, Mass., April 23.—Max Landey, who received a hard beating in a prize fight with Joseph O'Brien, died here today from heart failure. O'Brien has not been arrested.

Failed To Agree

(By United Press.)

New York, April 23.—Arbitrators Clark and Morrissey, who were to have reported upon the differences between the New York Central and its trainmen, have struck rough going and will not complete their work for some days.

Display At Hansen Store

The Hansen Furniture company fitted up an interesting display that attracted much attention from down town shoppers Saturday.

Adorning a dining room set were some hand painted dishes imported from Denmark but the most interesting of all was a jar of gooseberries in alcohol. The berries are the size of plums and were picked by Mrs. C. N. Hansen while she and husband visited the latter's native country Denmark last summer.

To Meet In Chicago

(By United Press.)

New York, April 23.—Arrangements were completed today for the Men's National Missionary conference at Chicago next Tuesday where 4500 delegates will gather. The watch word is "The evangelization of the World."

Boy Got Jewels

(By United Press.)

Moscow, April 23.—A 15 year old boy named Fenim, confessed to police today that he had stolen the $500,000 worth of jewels from the Kremlin cathedral and had hidden in the church. Hunger forced him out.

LAST MEETING OF D. A. R.'S

(By United Press.)

Washington, April 23.—The final meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held here today and the insurgents and regulars broke about even on the matter of electing officers.

I'm writin' this dope early today because there's a ball game this p. m. Leastwise there's one scheduled and if I can stay off the threatenin' rain I'm goin' to see it. If I'd only a thought of it in time yesterday I'd a had th' ideal base ball weather dope on for today but don't you know I clean forgot al about it. Well th' best can do now is pass out something nice for tomorrow, so here goes:

Ohio.—Snow, colder tonight; Sunday local snows, continued cold.

Indiana.—Fair tonight, freezing temperature; Sunday fair, continued cold.

West Va.—Rain, colder tonight; Sunday rain or snow, colder.

Advice By Bryan

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, April 23.—Interest was added to the fight of Gov. Marshall and other leaders of the Democratic party of Indiana are making to have the party's convention next week endorse a candidate for the United States senate, when it was learned Bryan had written a letter to Marshall congratulating him upon his efforts to have the convention take such action.

Is Accused Of Arson

(By United Press.)

East Liverpool, O., April 23.—Following a two months' investigation by the state fire marshal's office, Mrs. Allie Harvey was arrested today charges with having fired the home of J. H. Morehead, last February on the night he was to have moved in with his bride. Jealousy is alleged to have inspired the deed.

Rioting Keeps Up

By United Press.)

London, Eng., April 23.—Today's dispatches indicate that the anti-foreign riots in Hunan province shows no signs of abatement. It is believed that only the intervention of the powers can prevent serious results to foreigners.

James S. Gardner and wife and Misses Julia Stamper and Laura Webster came up from Vanceburg in a steam launch, Saturday.

WITNESSES IN THE WOLTER TRIAL

At the trial, in New York City, of Albert W. Wolter, charged with the cruel murder of Ruth A. Wheeler, a pretty young stenographer, one of the state was Katie Mueller, who was Wolter's companion at the time the crime was committed. Another witness was Miss Pearl Wheeler, a sister of the unfortunate young girl, who gave testimony, identifying the garments of her murdered sister.

MISS PEARL WHEELER.

MISS KATIE MUELLER.

CORPORATIONS MAKE LAST STAND

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., April 23.—The big public corporations are centering their entire forces against the bills which are in the senate. Their last hope is the influence which they may be able to result upon the reactionary members led by Mather, Patterson, Huffman and Lawyer.

Their attention at present is being devoted to the Woods public utilities bill, which they are keeping in committee by bombarding it with amendments. The Langdon tax commission bill is also getting a large share of their attention.

Isadore Altman, who has been clerking at the Star store, went to his home in Cincinnati Saturday for a visit.

REGISTRARS WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SERVICE

Columbus, Apr. 23.—(Spl.)—Because the first registration day last fall was not held on the day fixed by the statute, the registrars and clerks get no compensation for their services so Attorney General Denman holds in an opinion to Solicitor Horace L. Small, of Portsmouth. The fact that the service was rendered in good faith cuts no ice. There is no authority to pay the money. This registration was held on Thursday, in the first week preceding the election last fall which was earlier than authorized by law. The fault lies with the election board. Blake.

Have Bought Zaph Home

Harry Disteirath and wife have purchased the William Zaph property, 139 East Eleventh street consideration $1100. The sale was made by Jackson Cropper.

To Union Men Of Portsmouth

This will be of great interest to Union Men showing as it does, under what conditions employees of M. Wile & Co., makers of clothes of quality work. This line is largely handled at The Salvage and in all stores controlled by Si Straus. These clothes are exclusively sold by us in Portsmouth and cost no more than any others we sell.

GREETING

To our employees as an appreciation of their confidence in us and with the hope that it may prove mutually useful and beneficial.

Shortly we turn over to your care our completed building—one of the finest manufacturing establishments in the world, and a model plant for the making of clothes.

In designing this plant our first consideration was to provide that the surroundings of our employees should be as pleasant as possible. To secure this, plenty of light, good air, and the best appliances for safety, sanitation and health have been installed regardless of expense.

Amongst the special features of the new building will be a Lunch Room for the accommodation of the employees. The Kitchen of the Lunch Room will be equipped with electrical cooking apparatus and be under the care of a competent chef. At noon each working day, tea and coffee will be served to any and all employees **free of charge**, while complete lunches will be furnished at cost. The Lunch Room will also provide a place for lounging and recreation during the noon hour, and will also enable those who bring their lunches with them to have a comfortable place to eat, as well as the conveniences of dishes and table service.

Our object in installing this Lunch Room was not only to save to our employees, the profit made by the regular restaurants, but also to see that they are provided with good wholesome food at the least possible expense to themselves.

In order to secure the co-operation of our employees, and give to the business the benefit of the many practical ideas which flit through your busy brains, as you are daily in contact with the regular routine of the work, a suggestion box will be provided, for which any employee can write out any idea which may come to him or her, of improvement in the methods now in operation. For any new idea which is accepted and adopted, we will pay One Dollar to the employee suggesting it. For the best suggestion during the year, a Twenty Dollar gold piece will be given at Christmas. Heads of departments are to be excepted from this competition.

Plenty of space has been devoted to Coat Rooms and Toilet Rooms, and inasmuch as this building, as it is now turned over to you, is in perfect cleanliness and order, we urge upon you that, as you will spend more time in it than in your own homes, you should each and everyone, make every possible effort to keep it in the same good condition that it now is.

We take this opportunity of urging upon you the advisability of providing a sick benefit, for the mutual protection and benefit of all, assure you of our interest in and financial support of such a movement.

We are giving you a place to work under right conditions—one of the most perfect manufacturing establishments in the world in our line of business. We are doing it because we believe our interests to be identical with yours. We want our employees to be interested in their work and to stay with us, thereby increasing the efficiency and prompting the welfare of all. We stand ready to assist by promotion and better wages those of you who work with us and for us; we realize that without your co-operation and good will, our business cannot continue to grow and succeed.

Each and every one of us has to labor in some form or other, whether employer or employee. If we work together, our usefulness is increased, and we all benefit. If we work apart we all suffer—but you suffer most.

The only sure road to success is hard, honest work. To the man or woman who make their time produce something, there is no limit to the possibilities. This business, which today becomes one of the great manufacturing institutions of the country, was started in a small way, and by the hardest kind of hard work has been built to its present great proportions. What has been done once can be done again, and the same possibility of success is open to each and every one of you.

We are ambitious to make M. Wile & Co.'s clothes of quality not only the best line of clothing in the country, but to have it known from ocean to ocean that the institution where "Clothes of Quality" are produced is one of the model manufacturing establishments of the world, filled with ambitious, aspiring, satisfied and contented employees, each one striving his or her little best to make things just a little bit better. If each individual will endeavor to do things right, the business will grow and prosper, making new and greater chances for each one to prosper with it.

We want your assistance, not only in making clothes of quality the greatest line of clothing in the United States, but with the proper spirit of co-operation between employer and employee, we can make this establishment a model of cleanliness, comfort, health and happiness for the whole country to emulate.

Respectfully Yours,

M. WILE & COMPANY.

Hasn't that got the proper ring to it? Don't that appeal to you men who work? This is the line of clothes we specialize. You will find a complete line of Union made goods always on sale here and with our profit sharing with the people plan you can always save big money.

THE SALVAGE

220 Chillicothe Street.

KEMERY RENEWS LEASE ON GRAND

The Grand opera house was released by W. E. Kemery of Parkersburg, W. Va., Saturday and some extensive improvements will be made according to plans under consideration by Mr. Kemery.

The floor will either be raised or replaced with an entire new one, the downstairs re-seated, a tile floor laid in the lobby and the house otherwise improved and made as attractive as possible.

The changes will not be commenced until July. There is a possibility that vaudeville may be given a run through the summer months though Mr. Kemery was reticent on that subject save to admit that he had some plans under consideration and that the house would be kept open after the present season ended provided he could make satisfactory arrangements.

Mr. Kemery's present lease expires in June and local theatergoers will be pleased to learn that he has secured a renewal. He has done his best in giving Portsmouth good attractions and has a high standing in the theatrical world. The season both here and at Parkersburg have been comparatively good.

CAPUDINE for "THAT HEADACHE."

Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Hicks' Capudine just the thing to fit you for business. Clears the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At drug stores.

Mr. Ball Is Trustee

At a meeting of the creditors of Ralph T. Bendure held before Referee Mark A. Crawford, at the Masonic Temple, Saturday morning, Attorney Harry Ball was appointed trustee and later qualified. Another meeting of creditors will be held within a few days, as it is hoped to wind up the affairs of this concern within the next twenty days.

Baby Son Born On Thursday

J. G. Basham, well known Scioto ville citizen is strutting around now-a-days proud as can be—it's all over the arrival of a bouncing boy at his home Thursday.

Has Bought Motor Cycle

Cecil Calvert, a cripple, who is employed at the Selby Shoe Co., is now the possessor of an Indian motor cycle. The machine, which was purchased from Tide Davenport, arrived Saturday afternoon and is a beauty. It was made to fit Mr. Calvert exactly, and is one of the very latest models.

Will Move to Huntington

Mrs. W. H. Thomas, wife of Rev. Thomas, former pastor of Allen Chapel, spent Saturday here arranging for the removal of their household effects to their new home at Huntington, W. Va.

Looking For A Location

The Imperial Polish company which is enjoying a big run on its tisk and shoe dressing is now casting about for a new location. The business of the company is increasing to such an extent that it will seek to fit up quarters of its own in some suitable locality. Since the industry was started it has been located at the Portsmouth Shoe company's plant.

Another Baby Near Death

A baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Stillman, whose wonderful recoveries were reported way up north, was reported dying Saturday.

Money to loan on real estate—The Royal Savings and Loan Co., 19 Gallia St. 21-3

YALLER GOES ON RAMPAGE

After keeping straight for a year "Yaller" Lotell fell from grace Saturday and proceeded to clean up with his wife causing quite a disturbance at his North End home.

Officer Stokely reached the house in time to save the woman from serious harm and pinced Lotell under arrest. The wife agreed to appear against him declaring she wanted him to be taken away and kept from ever returning as she was done with him.

Boys Camp On Lawn

Mrs. Levi D. York reported to the police, Saturday morning that a gang of boys had taken possession of the front yard at the York home on Rose Ridge. The youths tore down fences, used bad language and cut didoes in fine style.

An officer was hustled to the scene, but the boys [illegible] before the cop arrived. Later Oscar Cropper, the [illegible] was captured and brought in and locked up. There were about forty lads in the bunch.

May Take Old Job

Sam Bowers is expected back from St. Louis tonight and it is whispered about that there is a strong likelihood that he and his crew will return to their old places on the three high plate mill at the Steel plant.

We have the goods you want for your parlor. Look at our Wall Paper and Moulding. Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe streets. 22-3

Percy Reed caught a five-pound bass at Millbrook Saturday.

TERRIBLE STRAIN RESULTED NOT AMISS

A Lenoir Lady, After Two Weeks Grinding Labor, Feels Better Than Ever.

Lenoir, N. C.—"I am not tired at all, and am stouter than I have ever been," writes Mrs. Kate Waters, of Lenoir, N. C., "although I have just finished a two weeks' wash. I lay my strength to Cardui, the woman's tonic. I have taken a lot of it and I can never praise it enough for what it has done for me. I can never thank you enough for the advice you gave me, to take Cardui, for since taking it I look so well and am stout as a mule."

You are urged to take Cardui, that gentle, vegetable tonic, for weak women. Its use will strengthen and build up your system, relieve or prevent headache, backache and the ailments of weak women.

It will surely help you, as it has helped thousands of others, in the past 50 years.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

A Gallon of Good Whiskey For $2.60

Here is the whiskey you want for home, an ideal beverage, stimulant and tonic. It has been a favorite with particular drinkers for many years.

Straight from U. S. Government Bonded Warehouse.

ABSOLUTE PURITY
DELICIOUS FLAVOR
YOUR SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

THO'S MOORE RYE WHISKEY

PRICES—Express Prepaid:
3-year-old..... $2.60 a gallon
4-year-old..... $3.00 a gallon
6-year-old..... $4.00 a gallon

THO'S MOORE DISTILLING CO.
McKeesport, Pa.

Invisible Murderers

When you clean the surface of your woodwork with soap and water, you are housing under the polished surface millions of malignant germs, so invisible in size that hundreds of them can rest comfortably upon the point of a needle. They are waiting to attack run-down constitutions — to bring dire disease to your family.

Cleanliness means health, but real cleanliness does not come from surface cleaning. Invisible filth is the harmful filth.

Protect the lives of your family—make your home pure-clean, avoid Typhoid, Scarlet Fever, Tuberculosis and other infectious diseases by using

C-N Disinfectant

in cleaning your home from cellar to garret. C-N is a power for purity, a force for health, an enemy of disease. Place a few drops in the cleaning water, and put in drains, sinks, garbage pails, cuspidors, everywhere that impurities and germ life abound.

C-N DISINFECTANT is non-poisonous, the only disinfectant officially guaranteed by bacteriological test, to be five times stronger than pure Carbolic Acid. Sold everywhere, 10c., 25c., 50c., $1.00.

WEST DISINFECTING CO.
BRANCHES IN ALL LARGE CITIES.

AUTO PARTY HERE FROM HUNTINGTON

John W. Ensign headed a party of thirty Huntington persons chiefly members of the Trinity church choir of that city, who came here on an auto trip Saturday. The party came in five machines. They took lunch at the Washington and following a spin around the city returned home on Saturday afternoon.

W. A. Inman In Jackson

W. A. Inman, of Portsmouth, was a business visitor in Jackson Friday, and also took occasion to pay his father, Wm. Inman, a short visit. Mr. Inman is general agent of the John Hancock Insurance company, with headquarters at Portsmouth, and is usually very busy with his duties in connection with the business.—Jackson Herald.

F. R. Mullinney, of Weston, W. Va., was admitted to Hempstead hospital Friday for medical treatment.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fritts returned Saturday from Ashland, Ky., where they visited friends.

Misses Mary Johnson and Lizzie Duewell, two charming young ladies of Brushart, Ky., have been in the city several days shopping and visiting Mrs. Lizzie Myers of Broadway street.

Beautiful Holy Redeemer church was the scene of a lovely wedding Saturday morning at 9 o'clock when two of this city's handsome, prosperous and most estimable young Italians, Miss Josephine De Lucca and Mr. Charles Camera were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. Father John E. McGuirk. The attendants included the groom's cousins Mr. and Mrs. Camera of Cincinnati, a bride and groom, the bride serving as matron of honor, wearing her bridal toilet of white silk finished with dainty lace and carrying an arm bouquet of white carnations. She preceded to the altar the flower girl, pretty little dark eyed Marie De Minico, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. De Minico of 91 E. 7th St., the parents of a large family of handsome children. This little maid wore a French gown of Paris muslin and carried a fancy basket of sweet peas. The lovely flowers she strewed along the pathway of the bride, who was escorted to the altar by her father and then given in marriage to the groom in waiting with his best man, Mr. Camera. The bride was truly a vision of attractiveness in her long trained gown of white louisene completed with crystal trimming. Her silken tulle bridal veil was secured in place with flowers from her magnificent bouquet of long stemmed bride roses tied with wide ribbons of white satin and strands of smilax reaching to the hem of her exquisite gown. With nuptial high mass were the marriage rites solemnized. The vocal soloist in the mass was Miss Katharine Schroeder, an unusually sweet and sympathetic singer, with Mr. Edward Kegne at the organ to play the wedding march for Lohengrin as processional, the airs de amour preceding, and Mendelssohn as the triumphal recessional. The impressive church ceremonials, preceded an all day reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Lucca at whose home the happy couple will reside for the present.

Congratulations are in order.

The S. R. D. H. Kensington met Friday evening at the home of Miss Nettie Reiniger in delightful session. Refreshments followed needlework. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Harry Grice, of West Ninth.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness to us during the sickness and death of our darling boy, Wilbur, also for the many floral offerings, and Rev. Gray for his consoling words.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinson.

Duffy Is Farmed

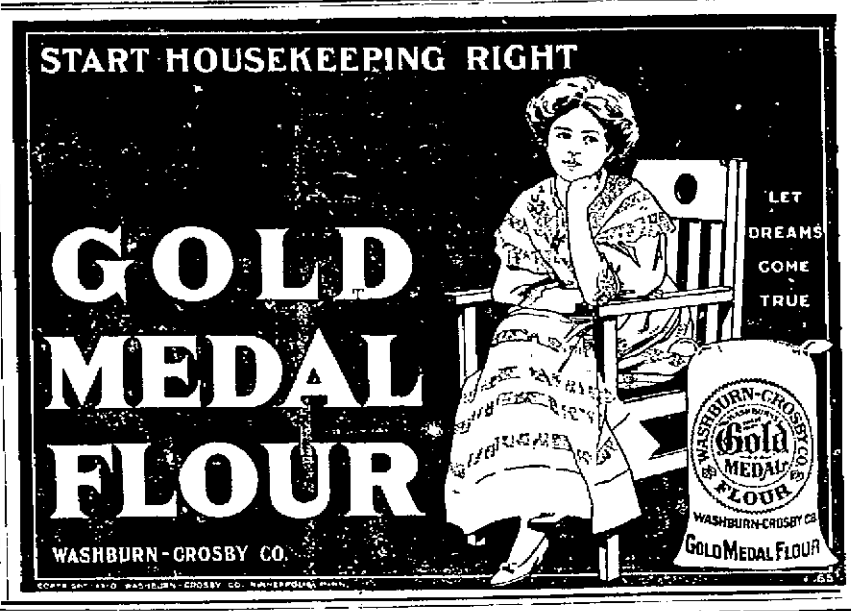
Word was received here from Wheeling Saturday that William Duffy, former captain of the local team of the Ohio State league, who received a try-out with Wheeling of the Central league, has been farmed to Flint, Mich., of the Southern-Michigan league. The team is now playing an exhibition series at Bellington, Iowa. Duffy was let go because the old third baseman who was sent to a class above the Central returned.

Jack McAllister, who was also with the locals last season, has signed a contract to play with Akron, of the O. & P. league.

Syrian Goes To Infirmary

Supt. John Hall on Saturday removed Mary Klopp, a young Syrian woman to the county infirmary. The woman has been staying at the home of Albert Roseberry, near the race track, since her husband returned to the old country. She is suffering a recurrence of trouble for which she underwent a surgical operation a few years ago.

Shirley Ruel has given up a job as postal messenger.



MARTINGS SPECIAL BARGAINS

Tonight and all next week we are going to surprise the people in the way of bargains. The whole store joins in and each department has contributed its share and will make **Great Value Offerings** that will fill it with eager buyers all week and you will more than be paid for your visit at this store.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
At the special counters at prices unequaled.
Gowns at the low price of 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
Special lot of Corset Covers, 25c and 39c.

MUSLIN SKIRTS
Great values at 50c, 75c.

CHILDREN'S DRAWERS
20c values 13c
25 values 19c

PRINCESS SLIPS
Perfect fitting and well made, $1.00, $1.12, $1.39, worth up to $2.00. Just the thing for your new dress.

DOMESTICS AND WAISTINGS
Prices are wonderfully little, hardly manufacturers' cost.

SECO SILK
Reduced to 29c. Large assortment of patterns.

STRIPED WAISTINGS
25c values at 15c

HOPE MUSLIN
Special 8 1-3c Brown Muslin, yard wide, good quality at only..... 5½c
New summer goods on display in all the New Fabrics.

RIBBONS AND NOTIONS
Dorothy Dainty Ribbons, sash and hair bow sets formerly sold for $1.25, special at only 98c
50c values 29c
And others at 15c and 25c

LADIES NECKWEAR
Special today at 10c

NEW BELTS, Veilings and Purses at little prices. Parasols and Umbrellas.

READY TO WEAR DEPARTMENT
Offers values that have no equal and can save you dollars on your purchases.

NET WAISTS
Special lot worth $3.00, and $3.50, to close 98c

CAPES
At little prices. $5.00 and $6.00 ones go for $3.98
$7.50 and $8.00 ones go for $5.98

SPECIAL LINEN JACKET SUITS
At $3.00 and $3.98, all colors. Ladies and Misses sizes

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$10.00 and $12.00 ones go for $8.98
$15.00 and $16.50 ones go for $10.98
$18.00 and $20.00 ones go for $12.98
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PETTICOATS
Famous Klosfit at $1.50, $2.50, $3.00 in Heatherbloom.
Silk at $6.00
Special Nearsilk Skirt, Embroidered ruffle at 75c
Extra values at $1.00
Gingham Petticoats 25c, 39c, 50c and 75c.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS
We are showing this season a large line of ready trimmed Hats that are new and stylish. Specials for this week. 50 styles of Ladies' Hats worth up to $4.50 at only $1.98

CHILDREN'S HATS
$3.50 and $3.75 values at only $2.98
Others at 50c, 59c, 89c and $1.00.
See the Pattern Hats at $5.00, $7.50, $10.00 and $12.50.
They have no equal.

TO THE LADIES OF PORTSMOUTH WE ARE MAKING A SPECIAL OFFER NEXT WEEK. A YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE DESIGNER, ONE 20c SUMMER FASHION BOOK, ONE 15c STANDARD PATTERN, ALL FOR 85c. DO NOT MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.

The Marting Bros. Co.

Opp. Postoffice — Cor. Sixth and Chillicothe Streets

STEINKAMP'S
For Quality and Low Prices!

WHEN WE SAY QUALITY WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY!

AND A VISIT TO OUR STORE WILL CERTAINLY CONVINCE YOU. WE ARE SHOWING A MORE COMPLETE UP TO DATE CLASS OF GOODS THAN EVER BEFORE, AND AT PRICES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST. THE CROWD OF OUR BUSINESS IS SO GREAT THAT IT COMPELLS US TO BUY IN LARGE QUANTITIES, THEREFORE WE ARE MORE THAN ABLE TO MEET THE GREATEST COMPETITION. (LOW PRICES AND HIGH QUALITY IS OUR MOTTO). IF IN THE MARKET FOR ANYTHING IN THE FURNITURE LINE, STEINKAMP CAN CERTAINLY SUPPLY YOUR WANTS. A VISIT TO OUR STORE WILL MAKE YOU ONE OF OUR CUSTOMERS.

We Have Just Received a Large Assortment of Carpets and Rugs

BOUGHT AT A VERY LOW PRICE AND WE ARE GOING TO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS THE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SPECIAL LOW PRICE. GET IN LINE, BE A STEINKAMP CUSTOMER AND HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY OF GETTING THE BEST CARPET OR RUG ON THE MARKET FOR THE MONEY. THE FOLLOWING PRICES WILL BE MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES ON EACH ARTICLE AND JUST AS ADVERTISED.

This Sale Will Last Throughout All Next Week

9x12 Tapestry Rug for

$7.95

A special good Tapestry Rug for

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9x12 Extra Heavy Seamless Brussell Rug, throughout all next week only

$12.48

9x12 Axminster Rug in original or floral design, the same Rug that others asks $18.00 for, only

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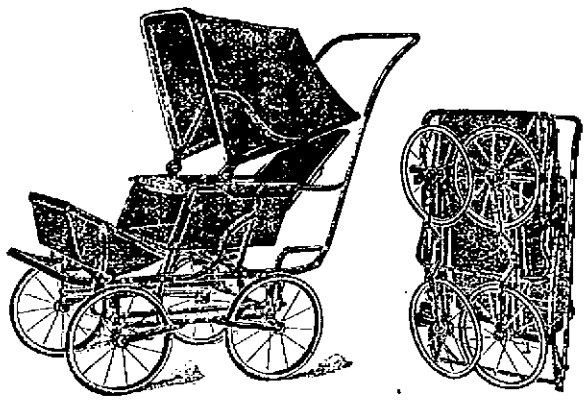
The very best Axminster Rug on the market, guaranteed, for

$20.48

Ingrain Carpets, 5 different patterns, good clean, new stock, per yard

36c.



This Is The GO-CART That Steincamp Will Have on Sale all Next Week

For $4.48

A good, heavy quality of Ingrain Carpet per yard

47½c.

The very best all Wool Ingrain, two and four yards wide, per yard

61c.

Linoleum, good nobby patterns, from

39c. Per Yd. Up.

We have the greatest line of Davenports on the market, Oak, Mahogany Finish, automatic or tumbler in very beautiful designs from

$16.48 UP

Refrigerators, the best on the market as low as

$5.48

Go-Carts from

$1.48 Up

Don't fail to visit this sale.

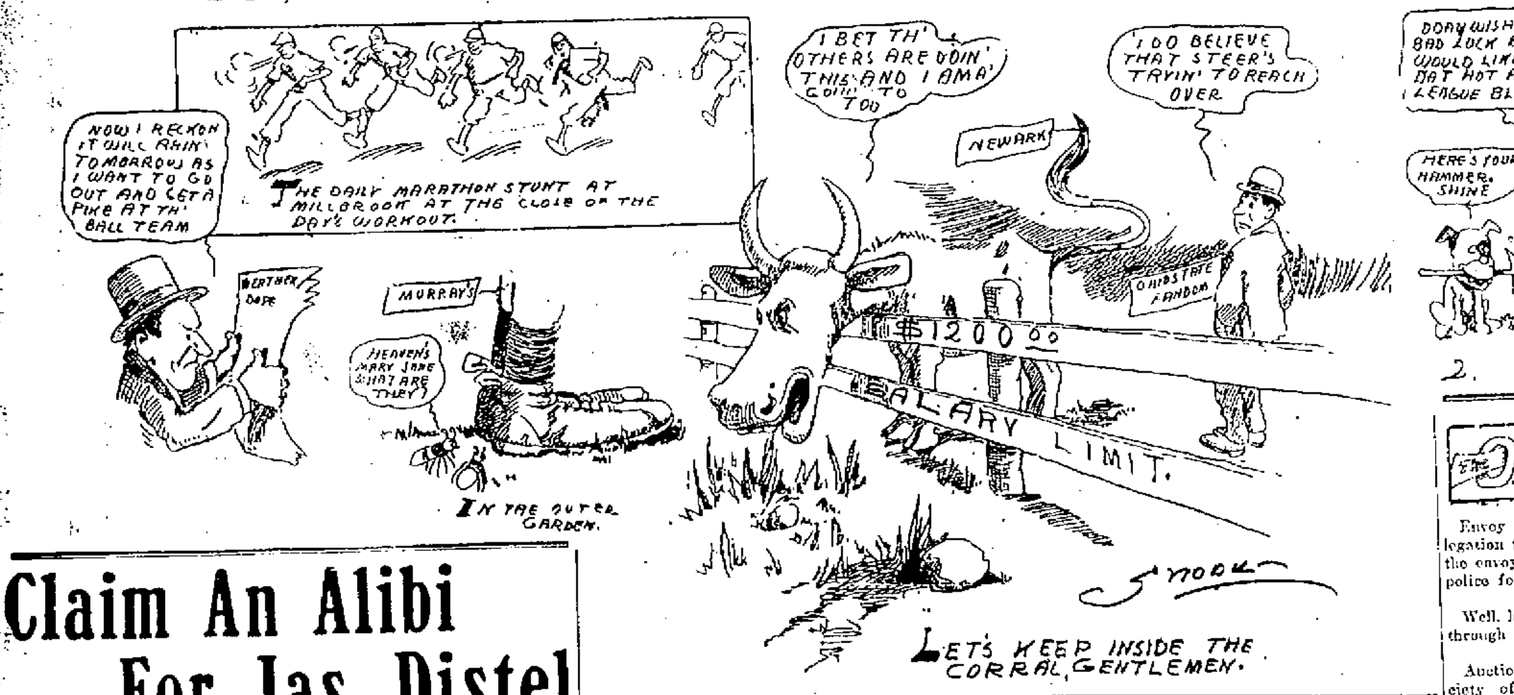
WE WILL HAVE ON SALE WHILE THEY LAST THE GREATEST COOKING UTENSILS ON THE MARKET. A DUTCTCHES COMBINATION CASSEROLES (3) THREE IN ONE ROASTER, DOUBLE BROILER AND BAKER OR DUTCH OVEN. MEATS COOKED IN THIS ARTICLE WILL BE MUCH SWEETER THAN ANY OTHER WAY COOKED. THIS IS A MUCH NEEDED ARTICLE AND WE INSIST ON EVERY HOUSE WIFE HAVING ONE OF THESE. YOU WILL FIND IT A GREAT HELP IN PREPARING A MEAL. STARTING MONDAY ON SALE WHILE THEY LAST FOR THE SMALL SUM OF ..... **34c Each**

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE

STEINKAMP'S BIG STORE

118-120-122 WEST SECOND STREET

SOME SATURDAY BASE BALL DOPE IN PICTURES BY SHONK



Claim An Alibi For Jas. Distel

Saturday afternoon, Attorney Joe Micklethwait filed a motion in common pleas court asking for a new trial for James Distel and Lewis Debo found guilty before Judge Blair Thursday on charges of selling liquor and keeping a place in violation of the county local option law.

The motion besides charging irregularities in the trial is accompanied by three affidavits, made by Archer B. Dunnavant an N. & W. conductor, J. B. Thompson and Frank A. Pucket, N. & W. engineers in which they swear that James Distel boarded a work train in their charge about 12:30 on Thursday, April 14 going with them to Wheelersburg where they were until about 5:30 in the evening. These affidavits are to offset the testimony of H. H. Blair who stated that he got a pint of whiskey from Distel on the afternoon of the 14th at about two o'clock.

As Committeeman.

George Schneider and Joseph Kountz were certified in as the Democratic candidates for Congressional committeemen from Scioto county. Joseph T. Micklethwait and Clyde Brant are the Republican members.

Miss Jessie Cranston has gone to Wheelersburg to visit friends.

Use it to-day Use it every day
It makes for good health
3 Forms—Liquid, Powder, Paste

Mrs. Hamilton Much Better

Mrs. Alma Hitchcock-Hamilton, who has been dangerously ill, was reported decidedly better Saturday.

Haas' for good clothes.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

A LINIMENT FOR EXTERNAL USE.

Not only is Mother's Friend a safe and simple remedy, but the comfort and healthful condition its use produces makes it of inestimable value to every expectant mother. Mother's Friend relieves the pain and discomfort caused by the strain on the different ligaments, overcomes nausea by counteraction, prevents backache and numbness of limbs, soothes the inflammation of the breast glands, and in every way aids in preserving the health and comfort of prospective mothers. Mother's Friend is a liniment for external massage, which by lubricating and expanding the different muscles and membranes, thoroughly prepares the system for baby's coming without danger to the mother. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers.

THE BRADFIELD CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Rice Talks Sunday

The public should bear in mind the lecture to be given by James A. Rice of Canton, on the subject "Social Parasites" at Trinity M. E. church Sunday evening at 7:30. Mr. Rice is one of the best lecturers on the Lyceum platform today and something good certainly is in store for you Sunday night. There will be no evening services at most of the churches in order to give the congregations a chance to hear this renowned speaker on a live up-to-date subject.

Haas' for shirts.

ARE COMING SUNDAY

Official advices have it that President Willard of the B. & O. S.-W. and party will reach Portsmouth Sunday afternoon and will make only a brief stay. The officials desire no entertainment as they are hastening eastward and accordingly the board of trade will have to forego the pleasure of tendering them a banquet as intended.

Railroad Men.

The Salvage will be open Monday night, April 25, to cash your checks. 220 Chillicothe street.

Pierce Nichols, formerly bar tender for Alex Davis, has taken a position at the N. & W. Terminals.

Children! Children!! My! what a noise!
But it's not the children — it's your head
ANTI-ACHE

"Cures headache in a flash."
Soothes and quiets—Puts your head in a quiet, normal condition—clear as a bell—free from pain—Does not affect the heart.
Any druggist, 10c and 25c
Wayne Chemical Co.
Clarion, Pa.

Heads Drop In Basket

Acting Manager Pete Childs proved himself quite an adept with the pruning knife after once he got busy Saturday afternoon.

Five heads dropped into the basket at one time. Those drawing releases were: Pitcher Ertley of Columbus, Third Baseman McMahon of Binghampton, N. Y., Outfielder Welch of New York, Infielder Shattuck and Outfielder Murray of Ironton.

The following named players were ordered not to report: Infielder Wirth of Canton, Infielder Vallory of Clarington, Pitcher Thomas of Rarden, Pitcher Millisor of Augusta, Catcher Peart of Columbus, Catcher Corcoran of Renova, Pa., Infielder Schies of Urbana, Catcher Fulton and Outfielder Weaver of Mattoon, Ill.

Catcher Weiberg, the new backstop just secured from Scranton, will arrive tonight. Manager Roach is due back from New York Sunday with a seasoned southpaw.

The game between the Vets an' Colts Saturday afternoon was called off on account of the wet grounds but that with the P. C. S. Sunday will take place without fail.

Yacht Is Stolen

William Reinhardt, shoeworker of 362 Robinson avenue, has solicited the aid of the local police in the hope that he will recover his gasoline yacht that was stolen from her moorings, corner of Front and Chillicothe streets, Friday night. The boat, which has only recently been equipped with a new engine, was one of the finest on the river. Mr. Reinhardt had only launched his craft the day before it was stolen. He offers a reward of $25 for the apprehension of the thief and recovery of his property.

Railroad Men.

The Salvage will be open Monday night, April 25, to cash your checks. 220 Chillicothe street.

You say that we ought to have ten thousand honest policemen. Why, my brothers, it is a hard job to get an honest Police Commissioner, let alone ten thousand honest policemen. —Mayor Gaynor. That's good, straight talk. And some time, perhaps, His Honor may have something equally to the point to say about the Magistrates who nullify the good that honest policement try to do.

Haas' sell Stetson hats.

RIVER NEWS

An expert wrecking firm is now figuring with Capt. James A. Henderson on plan to place the Virginia back in the river. If a contract is let the stranded packet will be placed on rollers and moved out to beyond the river bank and then blocked up and lowered down into the river on hydraulic jacks. This wrecking firm has moved brick houses up hill in the city of Pittsburg and it can easily launch the Virginia if given the job which will cost several thousand dollars.—Gallipolis Tribune.

The House refused to make Major General Daniel E. Sickles a lieutenant general, but gave Major General Frederick D. Grant a civil war record, thereby making him eligible to the G. A. R. Let's see, isn't Dr. Mary Walker entitled to something for war service?

The Onlooker

Envoy is here from the Chinese legation to end the tong war. Wish the envoy would kindly instruct the police force how to do it.

Well, has the census man put you through your catechism yet?

Auction of the pictures of the Society of American Art Fakirs realized $400. That's what comes of being honest. Had they called the efforts old masters—ah, the possibilities! There's one born every minute.

Dr. Cook in his book "To the Top of the Continent" gives the height of Mount McKinley as 20,390 feet. No use talking, we'll have to go and measure it all over again. Maybe the blamed thing hasn't done growing.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons, Illinois philanthropist, who has given away millions in charity, did not add to his benefactions on his ninetieth birthday, according to custom, but got up and used his dumbbells. Probably going out to get some more.

Among the new books notice one on the "History, Antiquity and Art of Bologna." Putting bologna in cold storage now?

Hackensack marshal suing for $1,000 damages for loss of clothing and dignity also lost his case, but received the sympathy of the jury. This sympathy thing was a good comic song subject, but doesn't even carry costs with it.

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the pulsating fact that "women who talk intelligently and listen carefully are best guests." True. Never thought of it before. They don't come in bunches, anyhow. Were ever at a conversazione, neighbor?

In China all the boys born during the year have their birthday celebrated on the same day, no matter what date their real birthday is. Idea is worthy of local attention now economy is all the rage.

Get a box of the genuine
Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste
the only guaranteed Exterminator for roaches, rats, mice, waterbugs, etc. Money back if it fails.
2 oz. box 25c—16 oz. box $1.00.
Sold by dealers everywhere.
STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE CO. - CHICAGO, ILL.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR
Hair falling out? Troubled with dandruff? Want more hair? An elegant dressing?
Ingredients: Sulphur. Glycerin. Quinin. Sodium Chlorid. Capsicum. Sage. Alcohol. Water. Perfume.
We believe doctors endorse this formula, or we would not put it up.
Does not Color the Hair
J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

Men's and Youths' SUITS That Satisfy!

Are the kinds that come from this store. Our patrons appreciate the opportunity to deal with a house, that can and does, save them money on all their needs in the clothing line.

The Quality of These Suits Are the Very Highest

Made by the foremost and most artistic makers of fine clothes in the country, it could not well be otherwise. These Suits are well fiting, well made, and there's no doubt but that they will please.

Prices very low, Ladies' Ready to wear garments.

Jos. Brown
29 GALLIA

Nervous Debility
Home Cure For Men-Free

No one need suffer longer from Nervous Debility, Decline, lack of Strength, ailments or weakness peculiar to men. A remarkable prescription from one of the oldest and ablest physicians in the country is curing thousands. For convenience, this treatment is put up in packages which retail by the druggist at one dollar, or six packages for $5, under the trade name Wade's Golden Nervine.

Every man who wishes to regain his strength and health should call on the druggist at once and ask about this remarkable treatment.

Wade's Golden Nervine is a simple vegetable compound, which produces marvelous results, and contains more vitalizing and restorative properties than any other known treatment.

For sale by Wurster Bros., Portsmouth, O.

FREE.—A trial package, with booklet and full particulars will be mailed to all who write, enclosing six cents stamps, addressing GEM MEDICINE CO., Dept. N, St. Louis, Mo.

The Difference in the Play of the National and American Leagues

Which plays the better ball? Sam Crane tells in Pearson's Magazine, now on sale. He describes and analyzes the play of the two leagues, plainly shows the difference, and incidentally explains why the National League regularly wins the World's Championship. Here, for the first time, is a frank comparison of the two leagues, made by a man who has followed the game for thirty years. If you think one league is better than the other, read this story. Crane hasn't attempted to please both sides; he speaks sincerely. His story should settle all arguments.

The needlessness of the increased cost of living is explained in the same issue; ... The influences which made Mr. Taft change his mind about the tariff are set forth by Alfred Henry Lewis ... The diseases which infect seventy-five per cent. of young men ... An old-time newspaper man writes of newspaper methods yesterday and today ... the United States Supreme Court. For entertainment there are seven splendid short fiction stories, including a corker—the second story of Dan Tank, by F. C. Macfarlane.

Pearson's Magazine for MAY

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS COMPANY

Come To Bragdon's Tonight!

GRAND VALUES IN SILKS, GINGHAMS, PRINTED WASH FABRICS, WASH SUITS, DRESSES AND SKIRTS AND WAISTS. MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AND CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES. TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, CRASHES, MUSLINS, ETC. MONEY SAVING PRICES THROUGHOUT THE STORE.

The Bragdon Dry Goods Co.
THE POPULAR STORE OF PORTSMOUTH

Market Place of the Munnimakers

The Advertisers are Eager to Sell—So they Offer Values so Big and Prices so Low that the Readers are Eager to Buy. A Square Deal and a Quick Deal for You in the Market Place of the Munnimakers. Profit for the Seller, and Advantage for The Buyer.

About Diamond Purity

In the selection of a Diamond, size is only one of many considerations. Purity of color, and freedom from flaws are very important elements, as also are shape and style of cutting. The most important feature we think in buying Diamonds is the source your procure them from. We buy direct from the importers, which enables us to give our customers the choicest gems without having to pay the fancy price. Let us talk Diamond with you.

J. F. CARR Jeweler and Optician, Chillicothe and Gallia St.

MASONIC

Stated meeting of Calvary Commandery, Monday evening, April 25th.

WANTED.

WANTED—Good, strong boy to learn baker trade. Adam's Bakery, New Boston. 23-1

WANTED — Gasoline range. Must be in good condition and cheap. Phone 3504. 22-2

WANTED—Dining room girls at Biggs House. 22-3

BOY—Wanting good home in the country call at 322 Robinson avenue. 22-3

WANTED—Nurse girl, colored girl preferred. Mrs. E. J. Collins, Wilhelmette Flats. 21-3

NOTICE—Any organ from the largest electro pneumatic pipe organ to the smallest reed instrument tuned and repaired. James F. Paine, 52 East Fourth street. 20-5

WANTED—To see a few Portsmouth home seekers who would be interested in buying an elegant lot in Morton Addition to Fullerton, Ky., by making an initial payment of $10 to $15 and monthly payments of $6 to $10 each till paid for. No interest, no taxes. Best home seekers proposition in the Ohio valley. For particulars, address C. W. G. Hannah, Fullerton, Ky. 20-4

WANTED—Girl at Cook's restaurant. 18-tf

YOUR FUTURE revealed by the stars. Wonderful revelations. Send birth, date, 6 questions and four two cent stamps. Prof. T. Gray, 1908 Warren avenue, Chicago. 18-6

WANTED—Good girl for general house work. Apply 135 Gallia street. 13-tf

WANTED— Machine girls. Scott Knitting Co. 6-tf

WANTED—Paper hanging and cleaning to do. Al Reiniger 805 Harvard. Phone Y 438. 14-tf

WANTED— Cleaning, pressing and repairing. Joseph Faivre, 187 East Third. 3-9-2m

SPECIAL NOTICE.

WANTED—Every one to know that the Singer Sewing Machine Co. is now located at 320 Chillicothe street. We are selling sewing machines at all prices and giving large discounts for cash and short time payments. Phones 471. C. Uhl, Mgr. 21-5

EVERYTHING FROM SHINGLE TO BUILDING.

We supply and sell and buy all sorts of timber and lumber. We also handle roofing, American Gypsum Co., Dry Color Paint and Varnish. E. M. Funk, 120 East Twelfth . Phones, Home 1224, Bell 211. tf

4 PER CENT

Interest paid on Deposits. Principal and Interest absolutely guaranteed.

THE ROYAL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY

19 GALLIA ST.

Open Tuesday evening until 9:00 o'clock. Close Saturday at noon.

NOTICE—About 25 years ago I traded to John A. Dawson bullet pouch powder horn and charges, with the initials C. B. on charges. The last heard of it was owned by a Henson family of Pleasant Valley. Will pay owner well for it. Address W. E. Bennett, Wimeton, Neb. 23-1-W2

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 23-4

WANTED—To rent 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms at Terminals. Must have gas. Call No. 33, both phones. 23-3

WANTED—Good girl for general house work, 417 Bond. 23-3

WANTED— Carpentering of any kind. John Zeisler, 167 East Third. Phone 582. 23-2

WANTED—Second cook; steady work. Good wages. Experienced preferred. Apply at Manhattan restaurant, 18 Gallia street. 23-tf

WANTED—All kinds of repairing to do. Picture frames to refinish, oil paintings to clean, upholstering to do. Special care taken with old time furniture. All work guaranteed. We are the doctors. The Portsmouth Furniture Hospital, 190 East Ninth. Home phone Y 599. 20tf

PERMANENT AUCTION ROOM

92 West Second St.

Auction sales every Friday, 2 p. m. Household goods, carpets, stoves, etc., received on consignment daily or bought outright. Large and small lots of furniture, etc., handled and sold quick. If you have anything to sell send it to the Friday sales.

For information telephone 923 or see Auctioneer,

PEEL.

FOR SALE

Good 5 room two story house on hill. Has bath and gas. Terms small cash payment, balance monthly.

Good 6 room two story house with bath on New Eighth street, near Gallia. Terms $300 cash down, balance monthly.

Four room cottage on Grandview avenue, has water, gas and cellar, $1800.

Well improved 40 acre farm to trade for city property.

J. E. SHUMP
"The Real Estate Man."
Home phone A 672.
1446 Grandview Ave.

WANTED—Free desk room on first floor and all conveniences in good location, for young lady stenographer, who in turn will do my typewriting. Good opportunity. Address C. P., Postoffice Box 247. 23-3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lot 99x165 ft. in McDermott. Will trade for a good horse. Joe Prather, at Wheelersburg. 22-2-W2

FOR SALE—Farm of 92 acres, 2½ miles from Wheelersburg. Good 7 room house. Large barn plenty fruit. Price $3,000. Good terms. Other farm of all sizes. Joe Prather, Home Phone, Wheelersburg, O. 22-2-W2

FOR SALE—One car load of second hand furniture of all kinds cheap. Will sell at wholesale or retail. Thos. Breech second hand store. East Ninth street, near Waller. 22-3

FOR SALE—Pit bull terriers and wheels for exercising. Brindle dog 40 pounds; white dog 33 pounds. J. B. Parker, 40 West Second St. 22-3

FOR SALE—Fine gasoline launch cheap. Apply at U. S. Laundry. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Good work mare, weight about 1,000 pounds. Inquire Crane and Lockwood, 316 West Second. Home phone X 314. 22-3

FOR SALE— Bicycle in good condition. Apply 1226 Franklin avenue. Phone Y 564. 22-3

FOR SALE— Residence at 15 East Second street, all modern improvements. Ten rooms, 58 feet front. Call or address Sam M. Johnson, 97 East Second. 20 6

FOR SALE—8 room house, hardwood finish on down stairs, bath gas, cistern, basement under entire building. Piped radiation for heat. Instantaneous water heater, in fact every convenience, on Gallia street. Anxious to sell. Evans and Jordan Realty Co. 817 Chillicothe Street. Home phone B 832. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Store room 20x40, ware room on side 20x30; seven room house in best tobacco district in country. Good opening. Call 327 Gallia. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade, 71 acres of fine farming land located in Adams county, Ohio. Will sell cheap for cash or exchange for desirable Portsmouth property. Apply O. E. Clutter, 52 Gallia street. 20-10

FOR SALE—Or trade one made to order, almost new rubber tired Columbus phaeton. See O. M. Coburn, 1309 Spring avenue. 19-tf

FOR SALE—One team roan horses, weight 2,500 pounds. One team mules, weight 2,200 pounds. J. W. O'Brein, Henley, O. 19-6d-W4

FOR SALE—Automobile, four cylinder Ford Runabout in good running condition. A. J. White. 18-6

FOR SALE—27 foot launch with 6 horse power engine. A bargain. Call phone X 932. 16-tf

FOR SALE—Good cow. Call Werner's Feed Stable, 64 Gallia street. 22-3

FOR SALE—Motor boat 23x6, seating capacity 15. John Joseph, U. S. Laundry. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade for city real estate, my residence in Sciotoville. A bargain is offered. Frank L. Sikes, Turley Bldg.

DISASTER AVERTED.

By calling on us and having your property insured before the fire occurs. It costs but a trifle when compared to losing the earnings of a life time by fire. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Office open day and night. Home phone No. 668. Bell No. 395 W.

INMAN & GRAHAM.

FOR SALE—Buggy, won at the East End Carnival last fall. A bargain. See N. B. West, 109 Gay street. 23-4

FOR SALE—Good $45 folding bed for $10. Combination crib $2.00. Go cart $1.00. 10 yards fine stair carpet. All bargains. Call 396 Logan street. Phone Y 1206. 23-3

FOR SALE—Gas range in good condition, cheap. Apply 1347 Park avenue. Phone X 1244. 23-2

FOR SALE—Osborn property at Wheelersburg. Two houses, four acre pasture lot. Geo. M. Osborn, Turley building or John Hartman, Wheelersburg, O.

FOR SALE—Substantial 2 story house and barn. Almost new. Built by owner, who wishes to leave city. Call or address 493 Logan street, across street from Highland school. 22-2

FOR SALE—Sterotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office.

FOR SALE—3 room cottage at New Boston. Call East End Furniture Co., Eleventh and Lawson. 29-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5 room house, 106 Thompson street. Water and gas. J. L. Watkins, Phone 167. 23-1

FOR RENT— Two rooms, call at 45½ Gallia St. 23-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room for two gentlemen, 54 East Third street. 23-3

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light house keeping, sleeping or empty. The cleanest place in town. 1022 Chillicothe St. 23-6

FOR RENT—House and garden, near Arion. Call on A. J. Miller, Rushtown. 23-1W1

FOR RENT—On Monday or Tuesday nights K. of P. lodge hall in Wertz building, Third and Chillicothe streets. Inquire of Charles Barlow, William Haney or Al Rockhold, trustees. 23-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms in the Elk building for office or sleeping rooms. Apply to H. S. Grimes in the building.

FOR RENT— Splendid flat. Inquire Fred Klingman, 129 West Second street. 9-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with bath in private family. Phone 823. 22-3

FOR RENT—5 room house, 474 East Fifth; 7 room house, 277 East Third; 6 room house Fifteenth and Union; 3 and 4 room flat, 219 East Ninth. Apply C. S. Cadot, Robin 225 Masonic Temple. 22-tf

FOR RENT—One of finest locations in city for a first class barber shop or fruit store. Building new. Inquire corner Ninth and North Waller Sts. 22-3

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house. Good location. See Dr. Halderman. 22-3

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms with bath for light house keeping. Call at 108 West Fifth street after 5:30. 21-3

FOR RENT—6 room house, corner New Seventh and Boundary. Inquire at 622 Offnere or phone 877. 20tf

FOR RENT—Good stable, 31 W. Seventh. 18-6

FOR RENT— Furnished room with board. All conveniences. 123 East Second. 18-6

FOR RENT— Furnished room and large barn. Phone X 1258. 14-tf

FOR RENT—Store room. Apply 327 Gallia. 20-tf

FOR RENT—Three single and one suite of three rooms in Damarin Bldg. See A. M. Damarin. 20-tf

FOR RENT—Nice up to date flat. 105 West Front St. Apply to J. P. Thacker, 105 West Front. 19-tf

FOR RENT—Vacant store room, 214 Chillicothe street. See Phil Thompson. 19-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room for light house keeping with all conveniences. Apply 117 West Third street. 16-tf

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THE BEST EVIDENCE!

The record of this bank, as shown by the strength of its resources and its successful career, bear testimony to the service and satisfaction our customers have received. We give our unreserved efforts to please our customers and protect their interests.

This bank is conservative, but not too much so. We try to be liberal enough—to see far enough ahead—to promote our patrons' interest.

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CAPITAL $300,000.00
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RESOURCES OVER $2,000,000.00

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Upper Market Square.

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AND PAY UP THESE SMALL ANNOYING ACCOUNTS.

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A courteous reception awaits you whenever you may favor us with a call.

Phone us
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205 Masonic Temple Phone 62

SOFT DRINK MEN AGAIN ON TRIAL

Lewis Distel and James Compliment, proprietors of a soft drink establishment on East Eighth street, were brought into court Saturday afternoon and tried on the five new affidavits, filed Wednesday, charging them with selling liquor and keeping a place. They were tried first on the affidavit charging them with selling to H. H. Blair on April 13.

H. B. Adams was the first witness called. He testified as to the result of the county local option election.

James A. Baucus was the next witness called by the state. He testified that Lewis Distel had told him that he had taken out a government license as a retail liquor dealer, and identified five liquor bottles that he said he obtained when he searched the place on last Tuesday.

H. H. Blair was next called. He testified that he and James Skelton got a pint of whisky from James Compliment on April 13, at Distel's place of business, at about 8 o'clock in the evening, paying 75 cents for it.

The attorneys for the defense on cross-examination made a desperate effort to shatter Blair's testimony, but he held firm on most of his statements. When asked if anybody had talked to him concerning the testimony that he would give in the trial, he stated that Prosecuting Attorney Moulton, James A. Baucus and Judge Blair had talked to him concerning of whom he had obtained liquor.

Loss of Appetite

Which is so common in the spring or upon the return of warm weather, is loss of vitality, vigor or tone, and is often a forerunner of prostrating disease.

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To Open Season At Willow Park

The baseball season will open at Willow park Sunday afternoon, April 24th, when the Giants battle with the Outlaws. The season was to have opened last Sunday, but the grounds were too wet. The Giants have been strengthened up, and think they can lick any team in Portsmouth. Any teams wanting games see Manager J. T. McDaniel, 815 Court street.

Giants—Bourgholtzer ss, McDaniel c, Lindsey cf, Klitch p or lf, Suter 3b or p, Callender p or lf, Schneider 1b, Watson 2b, Phillips rf, Mason, utility.

Outlaws—Cutlip lf, A. Ross ss, Calvert 1b, Manuel c, Long 2b, Burke 3b, Owens lf, Flannigan rf, Crawford or Steiner p.

Game called at 2 p. m.

Bargains in Wall Paper at the Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe streets. 23-2

Mikado Dates Are Changed

The dates for the Mikado concerts to be given under the auspices of the Elks, have been postponed a week. The concerts will be given at the Grand on Wednesday and Thursday, May 11th and 12th. Rehearsals are being held daily at the Elk parlors.

Has Moved Saw Mill

William L. Elliott, candidate for county commissioner will move his saw mill from Lower Nile up to Union Mills, Monday. He has a contract to saw up quite a bunch of timber for William Rapp and will doubtless pick up other jobs there.

Three thousand rolls paper at special low prices. Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe St. 22-3

Miss Edna Minego has gone to Cincinnati to make her home with a step sister, Miss Julia Knoxwell. Mrs. Nannie Black has returned home to keep house for her father, Harry Minego.

Thornton Eastwood and bride have gone to house keeping on West Front street.

James Bennett, an Interstate driver and wife have gone to house keeping on West Front St.

FOR SALE!

Enterprising citizens sit up and take notice. The Hurth property, corner Third and Chillicothe streets. Best corner in the city is for sale. Lot 39 by 115. Suitable location for any kind of business.

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NEW BOSTON GIRL DIED SATURDAY

Martha, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cooper, died at the home of her parents at New Boston at 9 o'clock Saturday, after a brief illness with measles, which was followed by grip and pneumonia.

She was 20 years of age and, besides her parents, is survived by several brothers and sisters. The family, who have only resided in New Boston a short time, having moved there from Carter county, Kentucky.

Several of the family have been sick with measles and they have the sympathy of many people in their bereavement.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 11 o'clock at the home, and burial will follow at School Hollow.

Nobby ties at Schwartz's.

Player Was Farmed Out

Word was received at local baseball headquarters, Saturday, that Pitcher Harding, now with Detroit in the American league, had been farmed out to Williamsport of the Tri-State league, and in which league Harry Truby of Ironton is an umpire. Frank Harter of Keyesport, Ill., who is receiving a try-out with the local team of the Ohio State league, comes from the same country as Harding and had the distinction of defeating him in three games in 1908. Here's hoping that Harter makes as good reputation as Harding.

Mock Trial Was Held

Because Hezekiah Redman failed to deliver ice cream to the Ladies Aid Society of Findlay Street M. E. church Friday night, he was hauled before a mock court and placed on trial. The following characters were taken.

Judge Blair—John Lowe.
Mayor Searcy—John Georgia.
Attorneys for defendant, Attorney Funk—Oscar Williams; Attorney Thomas—Curve Roach.
Prosecutor Sam Tinks.

There was so much evidence that the court ordered an adjournment until next Thursday night.

Came Down on Greyhound

Quite a party of Burlington, O., persons came down on the packet Greyhound Saturday on a pleasure trip given by Louis Shute.

Al Radcliff and a force of men are repaving the entrances and approaches to the Portsmouth brewery.

Remember we have the finest up to date line of Books and Stationery at low prices. Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe streets. 22-3

Rumor has it that a double wedding will take place in the West End next month. All of the parties are shoeworkers.

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Howard Was In Chillicothe

W. H. Howard, popular manager of the Nickelodeon, has returned from a two days' stay in Chillicothe. While there he watched the Chillicothe recruits try out for positions on the ball team, and says they are all husky looking athletes and among the lot is several jewels. Chillicothe, he says, has a pitcher, who is fully as large as "our" Peggy Moore.

Railroad Men.

The Salvage will be open Monday night, April 25, to cash your checks. 220 Chillicothe street.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. John Reilly arrived home Friday from a several months' sojurn at Pinehurst, N. C., very greatly improved in health.

Mrs. James Carey and sons, James and Arthur are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

The Portsmouth Reading club will meet next Monday evening at the home of Miss Clara Waller.

Mr. Virgil Fowler has made some very fine photos of the Scudder-Waite, and Marting-Drew parties as they appeared during the marriage scene. This artist, through an injury which rendered him partially deaf is unable to continue the work of electrician for which he was fitted at college, and has decided to make pictures for a livelihood and desires the patronage of the public. His work certainly is exquisite the details of the photos being more than usually clear and decidedly satisfactory. One can see samples of his artistic work at his studio, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, over free reading rooms, on West Second.

Rev. G. H. Freund has recovered from illness, and expects to occupy his customary place in the pulpit of German Evangelical church Sunday. All members confirmed during his pastorate, the past six years, are urged to be present at Sunday evening's services.

Judge and Mrs. N. J. Dever spent the week in Columbus.

Mrs. Val Minch continues very ill, hopelessly so her friends think.

Mr. Roy Hoen, who for two years has been president of the High School class of which he is a member the Sophomore class and also president of the Sophomore Literary Society, will soon leave for Roanoke, Va., to reside. As farewell gift the class presented him with two framed P. H. S. poster pictures—favors highly appreciated by the recipient. On next Friday afternoon the above named class will picnic at Crichton's Inn, weather permitting.

Mrs. Clarence Kerchival entertained the Friday evening card club in regular session. Refreshments followed euchre.

Former Portsmouth residents, Mrs. J. C. Hibbs and son, Mr. H. D. Hibbs of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived here Saturday to visit relatives and friends.

While here Mrs. Hibbs will visit at the home of Mrs. Jessie Knealy and Miss Mame Patton of East Second, where she will be glad to see her old-time Portsmouth friends.

Mrs. Carl Hansen entertained the Wednesday Kensington on Friday afternoon in this week's regular session. Needle work preceded refreshments of strawberry ice cream, bananas, with lemon mayonnaise and cake, served in the spacious dining room, at a table whose floral garnishments were ferns and purple and white sweet peas. In accordance with the club's custom of remembering the birthday anniversary of each member, Mrs. William Gableman was presented with a beautiful [illegible]ed picture of the Madonna [illegible]hild—a favor much appreciated by the recipient. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hansen's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ernest Powers of Offnere street, May 6th.

Mrs. W. H. Schwartz entertained the Saturday whist in this week's regular session, with the following as substitutes, for absentees: Mrs. L. P. Halderman, Mrs. H. S. Grimes, W. H. H. Cadot, Miss Marian Reilly, Mrs. C. M. Searl, Mrs. Sam M. Johnson. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. G. Dillon.

Mr. Joseph Sloane of Huntington, W. Va., visited here Friday in a business capacity.

Mrs. Louise Schwartz will spend Sunday at Ironton as guest of Miss Annette Lintner, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lintner, who is employed as trimmer at Anderson's millinery store, of which Mrs. Schwartz has charge.

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Most brides cannot afford to lay away in lavender the costly gown in which they have been married, and after a season of bridal whiteness the costume must be made over in some fashion to do duty. A handsome dinner gown can be evolved, as was this one.

Black chiffon, in combination with the white brocaded satin and pearl trimming used on the gown, gives a modern effect, and the white bodice has been used for a lining over which to drape white chiffon in modish seamless shoulder style.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Q. Shump of Sciotoville, and guests Mr. Andrew Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stewart of Detroit, Mich., spent Friday in a delightful visit to the old Violet homestead at Harrisonville and on the way home to the old Daniel White homestead. Daniel White is a direct descendant of Paragon White, born on the famous May Flower three days before its landing in America.

Miss Edna Copenhaver entertained the following friends Friday evening, at her home, No. 45 New Seventh street, most delightfully, Misses Ellen and Mame McCarley, Hattie Phillips, Susie and Stella Cooper, Pauline Hale, Messrs Nelson Elmore, Charles Newman, Donald McLaughlin, Choice Freeman, Floyd Schaefer, Kendall Hunter. Music and games preceded and followed ices and cake of rare excellence.

On Friday afternoon the New Century held the regular meeting at Woman's club parlors. The program theme was domestic science and the program, as follows:

"A true cook, be it remembered, is an artist."

Song, club.

My Favorite Receipt, members.

What Science has done for the Home, Mrs. Mary L. Small.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. Alice Grimes.

PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION IN COOKING

Salad Dressing, Mrs. Edith T. Noel.

Use of Olive Oil, Mrs. Mollie F. Cole.

Use of the Chafing Dish, Mrs. Emma Patterson.

SOCIAL HOUR.

"We may live without friends we may live without books.

But civilized man cannot live without cooks."

The menu consisted of creamed chicken on toast, bananas fried in olive oil, coffee and wafers. Miss Noel being unable to be present to demonstrate her ability to make the salad dressing mentioned on the program.

A guest of honor was Mrs. E. H. Hungerford of Watertown, N. Y., who is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hungerford of East Second street.

The names of Mrs. William Briggs, Mrs. Henry Heer, Mrs. Jennie Williams were added to the long roll call, as follows: Mesdames Ida C. Anderson, Ella R. Amann, May J. Baird, Nannie Baker, Alice Blake, Ethel J. Batterson, Jennie E. Clare, Minnie A. Clare, Sue Morrison Coe, Etta Cunningham, Mollie F. Cole, Sarah Comins, Emma M. Doerr, Alberta Edwards, Fannie E. Feurt, Anna S. Fee, Alice G. Grimes, Louisa T. Grice, Clara L. Haas, Maude J. Hager, Frances E. Helfenstein, Laura Horchow, Bertha Hungerford, Lelia Johnson, Isabel Kinney, Frances Kennedy, Ruby B. Lawson, Esther Labold, Mary Little, Edith T. Noel, Emma Patterson, Adaline Paden, Clara M. Pursell, Carrie S. Bardin, Kate Reilly, Hattie Russell, Mary Leete Small, Thyza G. Spry, Sallie D. Waite, Edith Wycoff, Louella Wendleken, Jennie B. Webb, Grace L. Young, Dr. Clara Cooke; active members. Mrs. Victoria Allsman, Miss Emily Ball, Mrs. Mary Bauer, Miss Clara Fuller, Mrs. Catherine Goodman, Mrs. Ida V. Williams; memorial list. Mrs. Maud Grimes Selby, Mrs. Julia Murphy Dotey.

Officers 1909-1910: President, Mrs. Maude J. Hager; vice president, Mrs. Sallie D. Waite; secretary, Miss Esther Labold; treasurer, Mrs. Carrie R. Bardin.

Executive board, Miss Isabel Kinney, Mrs. Alice Grimes, Miss Alice Blake.

Committees: Social; Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Jennie Clare, Mrs. Horchow, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Wendleken. Philanthropy: Mrs. Small, Mrs. Pursell, Mrs. Haas, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Feurt. House: Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Coe, Mrs. Noel, Mrs. Doerr. Literature: Miss Kinney, Miss Young, Mrs. Grice, Mrs. Helfenstein, Mrs. Paden. Dramatic: Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. Hungerford, Mrs. Edwards, Miss Reilly. Music: Miss Blake, Mrs. Coe, Miss Little, Mrs. Webb, Minnie Clare.

Motto: "Better late than never, but better never late."

The next meeting of the club will be in picnic session date and place not fully decided.

A farewell party was given in honor of [illegible] Thursday evening, [illegible] at the home of Miss [illegible] Nance, [illegible] street. Mr. [illegible] a favorite [illegible] young people of Trinity church and it was with great regret that goodbyes were said, as he is leaving Portsmouth to [illegible] home in Cincinnati. Music and games preceded excellent lunch. Those present were Messrs. Eugene Jennings, Ralph Loft, Morris Briggs, Harry Paull, William Peterson, Guy Nance, Morton Shumway; Misses Inez Noel, May Paull, Nellie Noel, Blanche Bradford, Gaynell Price, Ferol Nance and Garnet Noel.

Mesdames Charles Crain, Jacob Pfau, Adam Pfau and Miss Laura Pfau composed a theater party who went to Cincinnati Saturday to see Julia Marlowe in Romeo and Juliet at the Grand.

On Friday evening Miss Minnie Seidel of East Second attended commencement of the Wheelersburg high school her cousin, Miss Mamie Friske being one of the sweet girl graduates. The others were Misses Caroline Mackoy, Minnie Gleim, Ethel Clutts, Ethel Burke and Agnes Lang.

Graduation addresses was given by Mr. Corson of Columbus, a fine speaker who has been recalled twice to give the graduation address to the Wheelersburg graduation class.

Miss Edna Marting will be host at Saturday evening's meeting of the Shakespeare club.

On Friday evening the Holmes club closed their season with a social session at the home of Miss Mary M. Fuller of East Fourth. A member unable to be present owing to illness wrote a letter which was read to the club and highly appreciated. An interesting guest Walter Lee Stahler infant son of a club member, Mrs. Henry Stahler. Social enjoyments were followed by excellent refreshments.

Mrs. Chester Lloyd and children Roy Irving, and Marjorie Ardis have returned home to Columbus, at the end of a two weeks visit to Portsmouth relatives.

Mrs. E. D. Stevens' visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mountain of Ironton, and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith of Marion, have returned home. Mr. Smith, a progressive business man, was delighted with Peerless Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith have returned from Augusta, Ky., where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Minnie Minor, wife of Judge Minor, and mother of Miss Anna Clay Minor, who has frequently visited at the Smith home.

Mr. Eugene Jennings, who will soon return to Cincinnati, his former home, was tendered a farewell party at the home of Miss Ferol Nance, of Washington street. Music and games were followed by a palatable supper just preceding the home-going.

Mrs. S. L. Gilbert will be host at the next meeting of the Friday bridge, which met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Benshart, in this weeks regular session with Miss Clara Waller and Mrs. W. H. Burt as substitutes for absentees.

Mrs. Earl Lawson will be host at the next meeting of the Country club.

Miss Mayme Hayward of Ironton, well known here, is recovering from illness, according to word received by her Portsmouth friends.

Mrs. Dode Jeffers of West Sixth left Saturday for a visit to friends in Ashland, Ky.

A popular member of the Blade staff, Mr. William Schaefer, will leave next Monday for Huntington, W. Va., where he has secured a lucrative position. His many friends here deeply regret his departure from their midst and wish him success in his new work.

Mrs. P. E. Selby and Mrs. Henry Heer will entertain the Art Circle in open session at the Selby home, May 13th—each member being privileged to invite one guest.

Mrs. Pauline Esselborn is in Cincinnati at the bedside of her sick daughter, Mrs. Frederick Geyer.

Miss Margaret Heer entertained the Clio club in regular session Friday evening at the home of Messrs and Mesdames Edward Riegel of East Third, with Miss Ada Riegel as her assistant host. The program headed by the following quotation from an unknown author, is appended:

"Faith in men and love to men are unfailing marks of true greatness."

"Edmund Clarence Stedman," Mrs. Henry Heer.

"Ella Wheeler Wilcox," Miss Edith Elliott.

"Poem," Selected, Miss Georgia Paden.

At the business portion of the meeting Miss Edith Royse was elected to membership in the club. Excellent were the refreshments of ices, cake and coffee served during the usual social hour following the entertaining program. Mrs. Fred Simpson's visitor, Miss Sherman of Little Falls, N. Y., was a guest of honor at the meeting. Mrs. Henry Heer will be host at the next regular meeting May 6th. The last meeting of the season will be a "club outing" May 20th, with Miss Mertie May Mault as host, at her home at Gephart's Station.

Stylish Coiffures For Spring and Summer

Nothing is definite this season about the hair and it is left to every woman to take up the curls again with the flat ribbon of hair all around, or to make a chignon rather a la greeque.

Owing to that welcome uncertainty, welcome because it leaves every one free to wear what is most becoming, the success of "chignon roll" is easily explained and understood, for here we have a simple piece of postiche that can be made in a score of ways. So many letters received about it, and the great demand and inquiries still going on, make us think that the three models given today will fix the idea and hesitation of our readers.

No. 1 is of the genre turban. It appeals to hundreds who do not like the flat effect obtained by the ordinary frame. It will be noticed how soft and different the "chignon roll" looks, and besides the advantages of its many possible transformations, it is also cheap.

No. 2 is the same "chignon roll," but, being curled a la Recamier, only the best quality of hair could lend itself to such a change. The illustration speaks for itself it is most soyant, smart and comme il faut.

No. 3 can be made with the single "chignon roll" or the double one (which is thicker and with longer hair.) It is a neat way and easy to do. The model is adorned with a Juliette cap in old silver; chiffon would also be pretty.

Mrs. J. M. Marting and Mrs. Steven Stewart of Sciotoville, visited here this week as guests of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Murphy, who were recently married, were tendered a delightful surprise in the form of a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the home of their sister, Mrs. Carl Scheide, of Gay street. The young people were spending the evening at home, as Mr. Murphy had been ill for a few days, when a message came that Mrs. Scheide was sick and for them to come at once. When they arrived the house was filled with their friends, who presented the bride and groom with many beautiful and useful presents.

After an evening spent in games and music, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Mrs. Scheide, assisted by Miss Daisy McAllister and Mrs. John Hossman. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing the young couple many happy years.

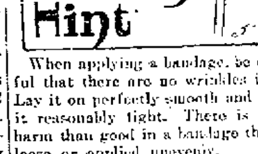
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scheide, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Hossman, Mrs. Adam Scheide, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett, Mrs. John Newman, Misses Sadie and Bird Maule, Grace Bodmer, Florence Taylor, Beulah Eason, Anna Adams, Flossie Banner, Daisy McAllister, Grace and Esther Guilkey, Ethel Lakeman, Louise and Esther Scheide; Messrs. Henry Baker, Edgar Davis, Walter Wood, James Wood, Frank Revare, Henry Scheide, Adam Scheide, Walter Duke, Clarence Schultz, Robert Holbrook, Lesky Jamezky and Richard Spencer. Excellent music was rendered by a quartette, consisting of Messrs. Charles Bennett, Walter and James Wood, and Henry Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Stoll of Beaver, are visiting Mr. Stoll's sisters, Mrs. B. B. White of 92 East Fourteenth street and Mrs. Henry J. Albrecht of 1510 Chillicothe street. Before returning home Monday they will also visit Mrs. Stoll's uncle, Dr. L. O. Allard and his family.

New Potatoes, String Beans, Peas, Egg Plant, Head Lettuce and all early vegetables at the Central Grocery for quality. Both phones 158. 22-2

A lot of water pipe arrived Friday from Lynchburg, Va., for Reitz Bros., to be used on Hutchins avenue, Offnere, North Waller and New Seventh streets.

Agent G. W. Sands of the B. & O. S.-W., made a flying visit to his aged parents at Zaleski, O., Friday.



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"Last summer I had measles and my hair came out in handfuls. I thought I would have to have it cut off. I got a bottle of Parisian Sage, used it, and it saved me from having my hair cut off."

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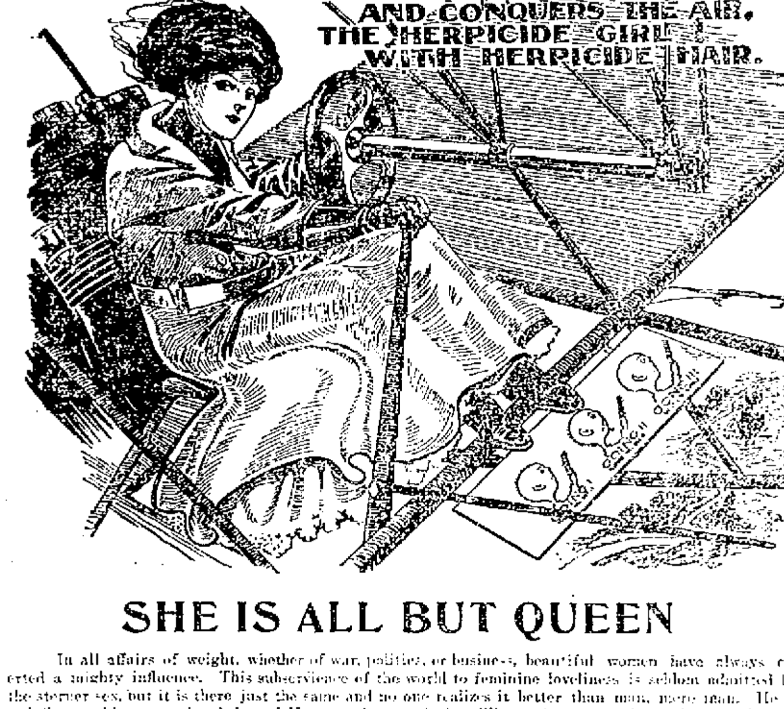

SHE IS ALL BUT QUEEN

In all affairs of weight, whether of war, politics, or business, beautiful women have always exerted a mighty influence. This subservience of the world to feminine loveliness is seldom admitted by the sterner sex, but it is there just the same and no one realizes it better than man, mere man. He is a daily worshipper at the shrine of Venus and a passively willing prisoner to her charms. Paying regular and magnificent tribute has become a habit with him.

NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE
MAKES BEAUTIFUL HAIR

To be considered beautiful it is not essential that a woman have a pretty face. Let her possess a wealth of natural fluffy hair and no one will ever dispute her right to being called handsome. Good hair softens the lines of the face and gives it an attractiveness which cannot be denied. As a saver of woman's beauty Newbro's Herpicide stands alone as it makes snappy, glossy hair possible for all.

Dull, brittle, lack-lustre hair is mere evidence of the workings of the dandruff germ. Herpicide is the one remedy which may be depended upon to kill the germ that causes dandruff and to prevent the hair from falling out. DON'T LET ANYONE SELL YOU SOMETHING "JUST AS GOOD." YOU WANT HERPICIDE, THE ORIGINAL REMEDY.

Kills the Dandruff Germ -:- Stops Falling Hair

The immediate effect of this remarkable hair remedy is to cleanse the scalp, allay the itching and induce a condition of health in the follicles, not already atrophied, so that the hair may resume growing.

Wonderful and satisfying indeed are the results which follow regular applications of Newbro's Herpicide.

ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
APPLICATIONS AT THE BEST BARBER SHOPS AND HAIR DRESSING PARLORS.
Send 10c postage or silver for booklet and sample to THE HERPICIDE CO., Dept. L, Detroit, Mich.

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Looking Glass

This store reflects all that's best and most appropriate for men to wear this season. Just come in and see for yourself. Let us show you Men's Furnishings, Hats, Caps, Shoes and Men's Suitings.

LEMON & WHITE
Eleventh and Lawson Sts.

PYLES' BARN WAS BURNED

Thomas Pyles, ex-fire chief of Portsmouth, suffered a severe loss by fire early Saturday when a large barn at his farm 2½ miles above Wheelersburg, on the Gallia pike, caught fire from an exploding lantern and was totally destroyed together with the contents.

Mr. Pyles went to the barn about four o'clock to hitch up his team to come to Portsmouth. He imagined he smelled smoke and the thought struck him that a traveler might have climbed into his haymow to spend the night, so with lantern in hand, Pyles ascended the ladder. Once in the loft he set about to find the supposed intruder and went tramping around over the hay, flashing the light here and there. Suddenly he stumbled and fell, the shaking up causing the light to flicker and he immediately hurled it toward the opening in the loft and away from the hay. He missed the window and when it struck, the lattern exploded scattering burning oil over the hay. In an instant the flames shot up and the mow was soon a seething furnace.

Mr. Pyles, who is crippled up with rheumatism, experienced great difficulty in escaping from the barn. He turned his attention to rescuing his team of horses and succeeded in getting both out, but one had been burned and kicked by its mate and it had to be killed.

The only other things saved was a buggy and spring wagon, the top of the latter being burned considerably. In the barn was several tons of hay, grain, farming implements and harness, all of which went up in smoke with the building. The loss is probably $900 fully covered by insurance.

Go to the Corner Book Store for Frames and Pictures, Second and Chillicothe streets. 22-3

Harry McKee Has An Offer

Harry McKee, well known actor who is now appearing at the Orpheum theater, and who it will be recalled was with Homer Barton at the Millbrook Casino, may tie up with Mr. Berthelet for the summer. He stated that he had received an offer from Mr. Berthelet and had it under consideration.

May Go To Lancaster

Tale Davenport notified the police Saturday that Willie Price, the youthful bicycle thief, was not making any effort to reimburse him for the bike. The lad was advised to get the necessary cash or he would be taken in charge by the probate court.

Will Schaefer Leaves Monday

Saturday Will Shaefer finished up his labors on the Blade news staff and will leave Monday for Huntington. He goes to start a baseball card score service and also to join the Herald's staff of reporters.

Protect Yourself!
AT SODA FOUNTAINS OR ELSEWHERE
Get the
Original and Genuine
HORLICK'S
MALTED MILK
"Others are Imitations"
The Food Drink for All Ages
RICH MILK, MALT GRAIN EXTRACT, IN POWDER
Not in any Milk Trust
Insist on "HORLICK'S"
Take a package home

THE CHILDREN SWARMED TO ANDERSON'S

Saturday was Children's Day at the Anderson department store, a new custom being most gloriously inaugurated on the second floor a space of thirty feet square was transformed into a play grounds for children. It was fitted out with a big circle swing, lawn swings, settees, etc., while presents of fans, bird whistles, bubble blowers, marble and toys were given the little visitors.

A great throng of children were present and the second floor of the store looked like a bee hive. The management of the store did everything possible to make their little guests enjoy themselves and they certainly did have a good time.

Lafe Headed Towards Home

Lafe Simon, former Portsmouth bartender, who recently went to St. Louis is gradually working his way back to this city. He is now in Cincinnati employed in an automobile factory and has a good job.

Money to loan on real estate—The Royal Savings and Loan Co., 19 Gallia St. 21-3

Get Licenses To Marry

Charles Camarca, aged 22, a stone cutter, was granted a license on April 20, to marry Miss Josephine Delnea, aged 19. Both were born at Naples, Italy, but are now residents of the city. Rev. Father McGuirk officiated.

John E. Twaddle, aged 33, a farmer, was granted a license on Saturday morning to marry Mrs. Minerva C. McClary, aged 20. Both are residents of Friendship. Squire Henry Hall officiated.

Insurance Paid.

Mrs. Thomas Williams, who is the widow of Tom Williams, former well known restaurant proprietor, received a check for $100 from the Ogden Pride lodge of Odd Fellows Friday night. The $100 is the endowment policy that Williams had taken out with the lodge.

Petitions Are Filed

The only congressional candidates who filed petition with the Scioto county board of elections were R. R. Johnson, Rep., of Ironton and Edmund Willis, Dem. or Wellston. Certified copies have been mailed to the smaller counties in the district.

Though having until April 27 to file petitions candidates for county officers all seemed to have selected Saturday for this purpose. The office of Asst. Clerk R. C. Myers was fairly over-run with men from city and country delivering their papers.

The Fourth ward takes front rank this spring in producing the largest array of candidates. There are almost a dozen seeking nominations the list including J. J. Spencer, Dr. Robe, Nate T. Gilliland, Tom Patterson, Ed Shump, George Ditty, Thomas Simpson, Jos. Distel, John Eckhard, David Bennett, R. E. Brady and Conrad Roth, the latter four all residing in Precinct F.

REST AND PEACE

Fall upon distracted households when Cuticura enters.

All that the fondest of mothers desires for the alleviation of her skin-tortured and disfigured infant is to be found in warm baths with

CUTICURA SOAP

And gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment.

WAS UNCLE OF JUDGE DILLON

Columbus, O., April 23.—Jonathan Tracy, an uncle, by marriage, of Judge E. B. Dillon, and a resident of the North Side, is dead at his farm in Adams county, aged 68. He died suddenly of heart trouble Thursday night. Mr. Tracy had been a resident of Columbus 18 years. He lived for a time in Delaware, where he educated his children.

A widow and three children survive, Elmer Tracy, who is employed at the postoffice; Miss Nellie Tracy, and George Tracy. The latter lives on the farm in Adams county.

Mr. Tracy served four years in the civil war. He was a Mason and took the Knight Templar degrees at Maysville, Ky. The burial is to be at 11 a. m. tomorrow at Sandy Springs, Adams county.

Kindly Deed Of Mr. Carroll

Manager George S. Carroll, of the Pastime theater, has invited the children and matron at the Childrens Home to attend the theater next week to see the great U. S. Army film. The street railway company will send a special car to take the Home children to and from the theater, free of charge. Public school teachers and janitors of the various school buildings will also be guests of Mr. Carroll during the week.

New Catcher On the Way

Word was received by President Wm. Gablemann, Saturday morning, that catcher Weinburg, who was secured from Monte Cross, Scranton, Pa., team, will arrive here, Saturday evening. Word was also received from Manager Roach, who may get in at the same time. He will be accompanied by a south-paw pitcher of recognized ability and reputation, and one who is said to be in a class by himself.

Two sons of Mrs. Mary Blackburn of Jefferson street, are ill with measles. Mrs. Blackburn having just recovered from the malady.

New goods at Haas'.

MARRIED AGAIN 10 DAYS AFTER HUSBAND'S DEATH

Just ten days after she was made a widow by the death of her husband, Mrs. Mirna McClary of Friendship, became the wife of John E. Twaddle, a farmer of the same place. Mr. Robert McClary, Mrs. McClarey's husband, died at the Indiana Soldiers' Home on Wednesday, April 13th, and on Saturday, April 23, Mrs. McClary became the wife of John E. Twaddle.

Mr. McClary was an old veteran of the civil war and was married a few years ago to Mrs. McClary who was a young girl, she being, at present only 20 years old. Mr. McClary's health failed him greatly last winter and an effort was made to have a guardian appointed over him. Later it was learned that he was eligible to the Indiana Soldiers' Home and he was at once taken there where he died on April 13th as stated above.

Mr. Twaddle and Mrs. McClary called at the office of the probate judge Saturday morning and obtained the license. They were later married by Squire Henry Hall.

Play With Matches And Cause A Fire

Children playing with matches caused an exciting blaze at the home of Arthur Smith, corner Third and Washington streets, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

The children had gone into the kitchen and were amusing themselves in striking matches when some old clothes caught fire. The children screamed and Mrs. M. J. Jordan rushed into the house and tossed the blazing garments in the yard, where they were extinguished with a bucket of water. The Seventh street fire department responded to an alarm, but the run was for nothing. The children were badly scared.

Parker Got Booze From Jim Cowens

James Cowens (colored) who was arrested Friday on a charge of keeping a place, was arraigned before Judge Blair Saturday morning. He entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for hearing at 8 o'clock Monday morning. Attorney Henry Bannon asked to hear who was accusing him and what evidence would be produced to prove him guilty.

Littleton Parker, (colored), now in jail awaiting trial on a bootlegging charge, was placed on the stand by the state. He testified that he bought a pint of whiskey of Cowens on Thursday, April 14, paying him 75 cents for the same. He also stated that he had bought whiskey from Cowens at other times. He stated that he got the whiskey on April 13, for James Skelton who gave him a dollar bill to pay for the same. He said that Cowens got the whiskey out of a pocket in a coat which he had hanging up in his house.

Cowens was refused bond as he is now out on a suspended sentence. He was fined $200 and costs several months ago by Judge Blair for bootlegging and paid $50 of the same the other being remitted pending good behavior.

BULLETIN IN LUKE CASE

The daily bulletin in the McCann-Luke case was posted at 9:30 Saturday morning. It is in the form of a motion to set aside the entry sustaining the demurrer to the amended petition that was ruled upon by the court a few days ago and to have a rehearing on the same.

The grounds upon which McCann seeks to have the entry set aside and the case reheard are based upon a decision of the circuit at Waverly, at its December term, 1909. The motion states that the circuit court reversed the lower court in its decision on a demurrer in a similar case wherein Catherine Schwartz and others were plaintiffs on error and the bank of Waverly and others, defendants on error.

New neckwear at Haas'.

The Medicinal Value of Whiskey

is admitted by the highest medical authorities. Indeed for many slight disorders it is a safe and certain cure. But to be effective, it must be the genuine, pure, natural article like

Sunny Brook
THE PURE FOOD
Whiskey

SUNNY BROOK is unsurpassed as a wholesome pleasant stimulant or an invigorating healthful tonic. Every drop is distilled, aged and bottled under the direct supervision of U. S. Government Inspectors and its absolute purity and mellowness make it one perfectly safe and free from harmful effects. The "Green Government Stamp" over the cork of each bottle states the correct age, proof and quantity

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BY EXPRESS PREPAID
SEND YOUR ORDER TO
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SHIPPED IN PLAIN BOXES. SEND REMITTANCE WITH YOUR ORDER.
NO GOODS SHIPPED C. O. D.

Portsmouth Thursday, April 28

RESERVED SEATS ON SALE AT WURSTER BROS.' DRUG STORE ON SHOW DAY.

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A great mistake is often made by delay in wearing glasses when first needed. A perfect eye needs no help, but if the eye is defective much distress and discomfort results, unless the defect is corrected. Glasses rightly fitted afford the only means of relief. We examine eyes and make glasses to suit all conditions of sight. Consult us.

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$15 and $20

We can fit you in anw New Model Suit in fancy Worsteds or Blue Serges. We carry the largest lines of Union Made Clothing in Portsmouth.

We keep all Suits Pressed for one year free.

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NEXT DOOR TO BRANDAU BOOK STORE.

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You don't get better service from Varnish is because you don't demand it. Come in, I'll put you Varnish wise — Chi-namel for floors and furniture.

The Pure Drug Co
JOHN E. RAPP, Mgr.
TURLEY BLDG.

LEGAL NOTICE

Davison Porter will hereby take notice that on or about the 30th day of March, 1910, Mary Porter filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, in cause No. 12241, a petition asking for a divorce from the said Davison Porter, on the grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty; that said cause will be for hearing on and after May 15th, 1910.

JAMES S. THOMAS,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Apr2-6sat MARY PORTER.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that G. Wash Williams, Charles M. Howland, Henry C. Searcy, John Allard and W. J. Henry, as trustees of the Christian church of Portsmouth, Ohio, have filed their petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, cause No. 12234 praying for authority to mortgage their real estate in said county, being the whole of Lot Number Five Hundred and Seventy-five (575) in said city, said lot being located on the northwest corner of Third and Gay streets in said city, upon which is the church.

SECOND TRACT

The parsonage on the south side of Third street, beginning forty-four (44) feet east of the east line of Waller street and, thence running east thirty-eight (38) feet, nine (9) inches. Being thirty-eight (38) feet, nine (9) inches front by one hundred and fifteen (115) feet, six (6) inches in depth on said south side of Third street, to secure a note of Nine Thousand ($9000.00) Dollars, and that the same will be for hearing on and after the 23rd day of April, A. D., 1910.

EDWARD J. DAEHLER,
mar19-4sats

LEGAL NOTICE

Pursuant to an order of sale of the Probate Court of Scioto County, Ohio, to me directed, I will offer at public sale, on the premises on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate:

Situated on the south side of East Second street between Sinton and North Waller street, in the City of Portsmouth, in the County of Scioto, and State of Ohio, to-wit: Part of lot No. (22) twenty-two as described on the plat of subdivision of 50 7-100 acres of land made by William V. Peck, William K. Bond and others; namely:

Beginning in the south line of Second street and in the north line of said lot, fourteen (14) feet west of the northeast corner of said lot No. 22, running thence west with said north line of said lot and south line of Second street, thirty-eight (38) feet; thence south and parallel with the east and west line of said lot one hundred and twenty-three feet (123), and nine inches (9), to an alley sixteen and one-half (16 1-2) feet wide; thence east with the north line of said alley thirty-eight (38) feet; thence north and parallel with the east and west line of said lot, one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet and nine (9) inches to the place of beginning, being the same premises conveyed by Frances McMahon and husband to Stephen N. Brown, by deed dated November 19, 1902, and recorded in Vol. 170, Page 146, Records of Deeds of Scioto County, Ohio.

The above premises were appraised at $3000.00, and are ordered to be sold in Case No. 9491 pending in said court, for not less than two-thirds of the appraised value thereof.

Terms of sale: Cash in hand, or one third cash, one third in six months and one third in one year from date, deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent and to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

NATE B. GILLILAND,
Assignee of Stephen N. Brown, Assignor.
JOS. T. MICKLETHWAIT,
Apr2-4sat Attorney.

ANDERSONS' ANNIVERSARY SALE!

IT'S A MATTER OF CELEBRATION WITH US—AND A MATTER OF MONEY SAVING WITH YOU.

36 YEARS IN PORTSMOUTH.

SALE BEGINS NEXT TUESDAY, THE 26TH

Six Girls Graduate At Wheelersburg

The annual commencement exercises of the Wheelersburg high school were held Friday evening at the Methodist Episcopal church. The church had been tastefully decorated for the occasion and it was crowded with friends of the graduating class. Four hundred and fifty tickets were sold.

There were six young ladies in the graduating class, Misses Grace Agnes Burke, Flora Ethel Clutts, Mamie Elizabeth Frische, Minnie Mae Gleim, Agnes Mae Lang and Caroline Eleanor Mackoy! The motto of the class was, "We stop not here"; the class colors were blue and gold and the class flower was the narcissus. The fair young graduates never looked better in their lives than in their handsome gowns and they carried through the program in a manner to win the admiration of all.

The program for the evening exercises were as follws:

Music, The Tournament March—Asher.

Music, Hypnotic, from Three Twins—Hoshna.

"Keys to Success"—Grace Agnes Burke.

"Cressing the Rubicon"—Flora Ethel Clutts.

Music, Twostep—Mills.

"Pluck and Luck"—Mamie Elizabeth Frische.

"What Can Woman Do"—Minnie Mae Gleim.

Music, Mystic Dreams Waltz—Johnson.

"Through Difficulties to Grandeur"—Agnes Mae Lang.

"Class Prophecy" — Caroline Eleanor Mackoy.

Music, Foxy Kid—Johnson.

Class Address—Hon. O. T. Corson, Columbus, O.

Music, Two Blue Eyes March—Morse.

Presentation of Diplomas—Supt. E. O. McCowen.

Music, Italian Nights Waltz—Tobani.

Music by Le Roy's famous orchestra.

The address of Mr. Corson was upon the subject, "Education as an Investment." He is a fine, forcible speaker and made a splendid impression upon the audience.

In presenting the diplomas, Supt. McCowen briefly reviewed the school work and extended his best wishes to the graduates for success and happiness.

Supt. E. O. McCowen, Principal John H. Cook and Ollie Clutts, of the high school, were congratulated upon the ability and knowledge shown by the graduates, evidencing as it did, the thoroughness of the course.

The board of education of Wheelersburg consists of George A. Bell, president; J. B. Fullerton, clerk; John Duis, treasurer; G. W. Smith and C. W. Hadton.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, Price, 75c per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Letter From Soldier Boy

Jesse E. Traylor of East Sixth street, has received an interesting letter from his brother, William H. Traylor, formerly of Tygart, Ky., now a soldier boy in the far away Philippines. Traylor enlisted in this city and has been stationed in Manilla for over two years with Troop H of the Fourteenth Calvary. He lives to stay in that balmy climate as well as the states and writes he is faring fine and enjoying good health.

Threw Rocks At Workmen

A gang of boys in the B. & O. yards annoyed workmen on the new freight depot Friday afternoon by throwing stones, tearing down sand piles and making themselves generally obnoxious, until it was necessary to call the police. The lads hiked.

N. & W. Man Ill.

Mr. D. D. Owens, fireman on the N. & W., is very ill at his boarding house, No. 38 Third avenue, n. w., of grip and pneumonia says the Roanoke World.

Up to date Wall Paper, Room Mouldings and Decorations. Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe streets. 22-3

For Thin Pale People Father John's

Medicine gives the food and nourishment the body requires — strengthens each organ to do its work—that's how it cures colds and builds up the body.

Guaranteed.

No Chance For Negro

Ironton, O., April 23.—The life of Sherwood Greim, the colored man shot in the N. & W. railroad camp at Haverhill, is still hanging in the balance and not the least bit of hopes entertained for his recovery.

In conversation with Dr. Gallagher he informed a reporter that the man had no chances of recovery and the unfortunate fellow was showing symptoms of pneumonia. He says the man has talked some and says the shooting was an accidental affair.

MADE $1,000 ON THE DEAL

The Lucasville Rural Gazette says that the big tract of timber which Joseph H. Brant and The Brant-Appel company recently purchased on Tygart creek, Ky., from Captain Davis, was sold this week at a clear profit of $1000, Captain Davis buying the property again.

Warwick Better

Mrs. Ida L. Gray, of South Third street, received a telegram today from her son, Dr. Dan Gray, who was hastily called to Washington, D. C., on account of the serious condition of Frank Warwick, whose illness was mentioned in Wednesday's issue of the Register. Dr. Gray in his telegram said: "Mr. Warwick's condition has been much changed, and glad to say for the best, and now he has indications of pulling through his ordeal."—Ironton Register.

Old English.

The pitcher threw the ball,
The batter made a hit
Because the second baseman
Could not connect with it.
—T. E. M.

U. S. Army Military Tournament at the Pastime theater. It is great. 20-3

Mrs. Katherine Canter is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. Burton of Tinmonds avenue.

Is Hit With An Axe

Haysville, O., April 23.—Jim Favonalla, who is employed on the construction work of the N. & W., was struck over the head with an axe by Pasquella Navlone, and a gash an inch and a half long and clear to the bone was made in the right side of the head. The Italians had trouble in the camp at Haysville, and when Favonalla's back was turned Navlone slipped up behind him and struck him.

HOW JOHN DOES HIS FISHING

John Hill, the second-hand dealer has introduced a new method of fishing in this section—instead of using the customary hook, line and pole he arms himself with a shot gun and when a member of the finny tribe is spied wandering near the top of the water John pulls the trigger and its usually all day with the "critter." The same method is used a great deal in the South with much success.

When in want of good whiskey mail us your order. Express paid on orders of $2.50 or more. Price list furnished upon request. I. LEVI & CO., 224 E. Third St., Cincinnati.

Probe Of Coroner

Dr. Robe, county coroner, is making an investigation of the street car accident on East Eighth street, Thursday, which resulted in the death of little Willie Haskins.

A few witnesses have been examined, but more will be heard by Dr. Robe before making a report, though he said everything indicated that the accident was unavoidable and that no blame could be attached to anyone for the youth's death. Dr. Robe's decision will probably be such.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Tablets. Druggists refund money Take Laxative Bromo Quinine if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

George Smalley, a Southern express driver, got some furniture glue in his right eye Thursday and no whas blood poisoning.

The Corner Book Store has two lines of Wall Paper that pleases everybody in price and in style. Second and Chillicothe Sts. 22-3

Pleads Not Guilty

J. M. Jewell came into the mayor's court Saturday morning to answer to an charge of assaulting two fellow N. & W. conductors.

To the surprise of the officials he pleaded not guilty. At the time of his arrest Jewell declared his intention of pleading guilty. Mayor Searcy held the case open until Jewell's wife could be heard from. The men clashed at Flood & Blake's corner Friday afternoon.

Mr. Thomas Celia, of East Eleventh street, who has been critically ill, is slightly improved.

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Your patronage solicited.

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The Spring Exhibition And Sale That Attracts

The people are coming in large numbers to this Salvage Spring Opening Sale. Its a live wire that clothes wearers who want to shed their winter apparel must attend to save the daddy dollars. Its up to you right now whether you want to jingle the coin you save yourself or put it into the pockets of the clothes trust. This sale includes all shipments of merchandise received this spring. Everything is reduced in price. The best America affords finds a place on our counters and goes right out to you priced below its worth.

Salvage Display Windows Have a Tale To Tell. Look Everywhere, Then Back to Us. You'll Surely Hustle to Save the Difference!

SHIRTS
Men's Dress Shirts worth 50c and 75c. OPENING SALE PRICE 34c

CAPS
Men's, Boys and Children's Linen Caps, worth 50c OPENING SALE PRICE 10c.

LADIES' HOSE
Ladies' finest Lisle Hose, an elegant 50c quality in black and tan. OPENING SALE PRICE 19c

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS
Children's Play Suits, all double sewed, worth 50c. OPENING SALE PRICE 29c.

TIES
Neat new effects in pure Silk, open end 4-in-hands, worth 50c. OPENING SALE PRICE 23c

UNDERWEAR
Men's Balbriggan Underwear, worth 35c. OPENING SALE PRICE 18c

BOYS UNION SUITS
Boys' newknit union suits short sleeve, knee length, worth 50c. OPENING SALE PRICE 23c

MEN'S UNION SUITS
Men's Balmesh Union Suits, worth 75c. OPENING SALE PRICE ... 48c

MEN'S SILK HOSE
Men's pure Silk Hose, all colors, worth $1.00. OPENING SALE PRICE..... 39c

LADIES' UMBRELLAS
With beautiful handles that are alone worth the price we ask, worth $2.50. OPENING SALE. PRICE 98c.

MEN'S PANTS
Men's fine Worsted Tailor made Pants. All swell patterns. The finest line ever shown in Portsmouth, worth $7.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $3.95

SUIT CASES
Matting Suit Cases, Linen lined, leather corners, worth $2.50. OPENING SALE PRICE $1.49

MEN'S HATS
Men's latest spring style Hats in new greys, Pearls, Black and all other shades, worth $3.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $1.85

BOYS' SUITS
Boys' handsome Knickerbocker Suits made out of finest Worsteds and Cassimeres, worth $7.00. OPENING SALE PRICE .. $3.95

FREE! FREE!
For the Girls and the Boys.
With every purchase of one dollar or over a wire bell jumping rope or a bag of 25 marbles.

MEN'S SUITS
Nobby Spring Styles in all the known weaves worth $12.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $6.85

MEN'S SUITS
Serges, novelty homespun and tweeds, newest models from exclusive makers, worth $15.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $7.85

MEN'S SUITS
Black and Blue Cloths and dark mixtures, handsomely made, bought especially for the opening sale, worth $20.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $9.85

MEN'S SUITS
Every suit a beauty, neat patterns, also the new swell plaid effects. Hand Tailored and the wearing quality guaranteed, worth $22. OPENING SALE PRICE $11.75.

CLOTHING BOUGHT FROM US KEPT PRESSED AND REPAIRED ONE YEAR FREE.

MEN'S SUITS
In Silk, mixed Worsteds, Serges and Imported Scotches, also every late conception for spring wear. Must be seen to be appreciated. Worth $25.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $14.75.

The Decorations ARE BARGAINS!

PANTS
An immense stock of fine Pants. Every pair made out of good Worsteds and Cassimeres(worth $2.00. OPENING SALE PRICE 99c.

Bargains Given Away as Souvenirs

The Cincinnati Salvage Company Requires no introduction to the people of Portsmouth and vicinity. The public knows that any statement made by us will be carried out to the letter AT OUR STORE.

BOYS' SUITS
Long Pants Suits, ages 14 to 20, in every known weave and style, worth $7. OPENING SALE PRICE $3.95.

BOYS' SUITS
Long Pants Suits, ages 14 to 20. Elegant suits, the greatest line we ever had to select from, worth $10.00. OPENING SALE PRICE $4.85.

PANTS
For Men and Boys. Neat nobby effects, including a large sample line.. Not a pair worth less than double the price we ask, ... $1.95.

KNEE SUITS
We have made a special effort in this department. Knickerbocker Suits worth $2.50. OPENING SALE PRICE $1.39

KNEE SUITS
Hundreds of handsome patterns, every one a bright new this season's idea, all wool, worth $3.50. OPENING SALE PRICE ...$1.95

SUSPENDERS
Linen web Suspenders. The kind you always pay 35c cuts for. OPENING SALE PRICE 16c

SHIRTS
Neat effects direct from the maker at a price less than the wholesale cost, worth 75c. OPENING SALE PRICE 39c

HATS
Every new style in spring Headwear has found a place in this department. Latest shapes, worth $2.00. OPENING SALE PRICE 95c.

HANDKERCHIEFS
The price of cotton is way up today, but the price of hemstitched fast color 10c handkerchiefs remains the same 3c

UNDERWEAR
Poroshit, B. V. D. and all the advertised brands of 50c Underwear. OPENING SALE PRICE 39c

HOSE
Fancy Hose, worth 25c. OPENING SALE PRICE 14c.

CAPS
A manufacturer sold us his entire line at half price. Good ones worth 50c. OPENING SALE PRICE 19c.

BE SURE AND BRING THIS BILL AND ASK FOR THE ADVERTISED GOODS.

LADIES HOSE
In Black and Tan. The kind you have been been paying 15c for. OPENING SALE PRICE 7½c

CHILDREN'S HOSE
In black, an extra fine Hose that is never sold for less than 15c. OPENING SALE PRICE 7½c

LADIES' SHOES
In Oxfords, also high Shoes, both latest styles and worth $2.50. OPENING SALE PRICE $1.69

MEN'S SHOES
Men's Patent Leather, also Vici and Calf Shoes worth $2.00 and $3.50. OPENING SALE PRICE .. $1.95

BOYS' SHOES
Calf Shoes worth $1.50 only 99c. In sizes 13½ to 2, sizes 3 to 5½ worth $2.00. OPENING SALE PRICE IS $1.49

Remember *the* Sale is Now in Progress

LOOK FOR THE RED SIGN ON THE BUILDING AT NO. 220 CHILLICOTHE ST.

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For Slate and Tin Roofing, Galvanized Iron Work, Steel Ceilings, Hot Air Furnaces. If your roof or spouting leaks, call
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NOTICE
I am going to move to the corner of Gallia and Lawson Sts. March 1st. I have full line of Shoes, Rubbers and Furnishing Goods. It will pay you to investigate.
C. HANS,
Realiable Shoe Man,
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To buy Wood Beds, Iron Beds, Dressers, Cook Stoves.
W. H. SMITH,
No. 9 West Fifth St.
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Play Ball

We have the biggest and most complete line of the **REACH** base ball goods we have ever handled. Professionals and amateurs will find everything necessary to the game in our big stock.

BALLS
Ranging in price from 10c to $1.25.

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Ranging from 50c to $3.

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Ranging from 25c to $3.50.

MASKS
Ranging from 25c to $5.00.

BAT BAGS
Ranging from $1 to $3.50.

PROTECTORS
Ranging from $1 to $12.

FANS!
Get one of Reach Base Ball Guides for 1910 and get posted on the game.

The Hibbs Hardware Co
123-125 WEST SECOND.

SOFT DRINK MAN SLUGS ACCUSER

Imbued with a "get even" spirit, John Baker, proprietor of a soft drink stand, assaulted William Kidd at South Portsmouth Friday night. The assault took place about half past eight on the public road, directly in front of Baker's place, where he evidently had lain in wait for his victim, who was on his way home.

Using a black jack as a weapon, Baker attacked Kidd savagely and felled him up terribly, raining blow after blow on his victim.

Kidd fought bravely back, but the odds were against him and he finally went down under the fierce onslaught of blows. He was beaten until he almost lost consciousness, but managed to grope his way home in the darkness. He suffered a couple of bad wounds in the back of his head and which bled freely.

Saturday morning Kidd swore out a warrant in Squire Brickey's court at Fullerton, charging Baker with assault with in tent to kill, together with a peace warrant, both of which are in the hands of Constable Perry Horton. Baker could not be found by the officer and it was learned that he had skipped to this side of the river.

Back of the trouble is the arrest of Baker a few days ago on an affidavit sworn out by Kidd, for violating the Sunday closing laws.

Hicks' CAPUDINE Cures Sick Headache

Also Nervous Headache, Travelers Headache and aches from Grip, Stomach Troubles or Female troubles. Try Capudine—it's liquid—effects immediately. Sold by druggists.

Coyle to be Stage Manager

Bob Coyle, a well known baseball player, has secured the position of stage manager of J. F. Pott's new air dome theater. Coyle has been employed at the Grand opera house and will prove a competent man.

Mr. Potts stated Saturday morning that he had purchased a fine piano for use in the theater and that everything was moving along nicely, and there was no question whatever but the amusement place will be thrown open to the public by Saturda yafternoon, April 30th.

Railroad Men.

The Salvage will be open Monday night, April 25, to cash your checks. 220 Chillicothe street.

Jack Osborne Was Injured

Jack Osborne, employed on the big auto truck of the Selby Shoe Co., was painfully injured Friday, when a heavy box fell, strking him above the left eye and inflicting a deep wound as well as rendering Osborne unconscious for five minues. He was taken to Dr. Moore's office, where it was necessary to take several stitches to close the wound.

SOLICITING DONATIONS

Members of the Civic Improvement association began a tour of the city at one o'clock Saturday soliciting private donations to the public play grounds fund.

The public is evidently looking upon the movement with much favor as many substantial donations have already been received and the workers are much encouraged with their success so far.

Hopped Off Moving Car

An unknown Italian had a hard fall from street car No. 206 Saturday noon on the corner of Sixth and Chillicothe streets. He was not accustomed to trolley cars and jumped off the car backwards while it was going full speed, despite the warning of the conductor. He was not hurt much.

Do It Now.

Clean your spring suit at Schwartz's.

Ralph Hurth, Jr., shipped his three horses to Cincinnati by express Thursday night.

Mrs. Frank Coriell and family Friday moved from Court street to the Samuel Baird property on East Second.

Excursion By Elks

The Free Kindergarten association desires to thank the order of Elks for their interest in the work of the association, and they hope that all good citizens will be equally as generous by not forgetting to buy a tieflet for the excursion to be given by the Elks for the benefit of the association on the Ohio river May 2 and 6.

The tickets are 50 cents for the adults and 25 cents for children under 12. Miss Anna Ross, 308 Court street, the secretary of the association has charge of the tickets. The excursion will be by the Island Queen. Everybody will want to go, and all will go who can, provided they remember the dates. So cut this out for reference. There will be two excursions each day, afternoon and evening, at 2 o'clock and at 7.

PRESS COMMITTEE OF THE ASSOCIATION.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, April 23.—Since yesterday the bulls seem to have started a rising market. The feeling existing among the traders that the market had dropped on both wheat and corn, and dropped about as low as it could for some time. Especially during the busy planting season, the farmers would practically stop deliveries, and the elevators while they were pretty well loaded up, they were perfectly able to hold the corn, as it was all high priced.

The result of all this is the advance that has occurred in the last three days o fthis week, bringing the mraket up on wheat to about 2c above last week's close, on corn ¾ above.

The markets closing very strong with indications of a much better demand than has been for some time.

Opening.

Chicago, April 23.—Wheat May $1.09; July $1.02⅝; Sept. $1.01¼.

Corn May 58⅝; July 61¾; Sept. 57⅞.

Oats May 42¼; July 40⅛; Sept. 38½.

Close.

Wheat May $1.09⅞; July $1.03¼; Sept. $1.00⅝.

Corn May 58⅝; July 61⅞; Sept. 63¼.

Oats May 42¾; July 40⅞; Sept. 39⅝.

Live Stock Market.

(By United Press.)

Chicago, April 23.—Cattle — Receipts, 600; market steady; hooves, $5.75 to $8.50; stockers and feeders, $3.80 to $6.70; cows and heifers, $2.80 to $7.40; calves, $6.75 to $8.50.

Hogs — Receipts, 4500; market 10 higher; light, $9.50; mixed, $9.55; heavy, $9.55; pigs, $9.35.

Sheep — Receipts, 1000 head; market steady; $4.50 to $8.35.

Lambs—$7.75 to $9.80.

Pittsburg, April 23.—Hogs — Receipts, 8 double deck; market active; light, $9.90; mixed, $9.90; medium, $9.90; heavy, $9.90; yorkers, $9.90; pigs, $9.80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts fair; market steady.

Cattle — Supply fair; market steady.

Comes For New Auto

C. M. Crawford of Ironton, arrived here, Saturday morning and secured his handsome car, a Thomas Flyer, at the Friel garage. The machine is one of the finest ever seen in this city, costing more than $3,500. Mr. Crawford, as soon as he learns to control the car, will make a round trip to Pittsburg.

Samuel Reed, Simon Labold and other summer cottage owners are having their Brush Creek camps repainted.

Haas' cash checks.

TUBERCULOSIS

Corning, O., May 20, 1908.

To Whom It May Concern:

As I read the many testimonials from different people, where they are being and have been cured with Nature's Creation, I can say that none have more praise to give than I have or should give to the medicine that has done me so much good and besides saved making doctor bills.

Before taking Nature's Cure I was doctoring all the time and nothing did me any good and was so weak from coughing day and night that I could not work.

I was advised by a friend to try the remedy, so I sent and got one bottle and after taking same for one week I began to eat good and sleep well at night, so I continued taking medicine and in three weeks started to work the first day of December, 1908, and have been working ever since, and am working and feeling fine and gaining in strength and also in weight, and can tell anybody and tell the truth that Nature's Creation cured me of lung trouble and has saved my life.

So hoping this testimonial will be the cause of helping others who are suffering as I did for years, I am,

Yours respectfully,

Henry Stuart

We have a booklet which contains fifty of the most wonderful recoveries ever known in the medical world. After you read it you will cease doubting. We will send this booklet postpaid upon request. The Nature's Creation Co., Bank Bldg., Town and High, Columbus.

COAL AND COKE ON THE N. & W.

Cincinnati, O., April 23.—Recent statistics compiled by the Norfolk and Western show that coal and coke shipments over that road in West Virginia during the month of March amounted to 1,319,084 tons of coal and 246,201 tons of coke. Of the total coal shipments Pocahontas field supplied 915,326 tons; Tug River field, 159,863 tons; Thacker field, 178,030 tons, and Kenova field, 65,845 tons. The coke shipments were supplied by the Pocahontas field.

PASSED AWAY SATURDAY

Mrs. Samantha Jane Aldred passed away Saturday morning at five o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rhoda Hannard of 1106 Gay street, of a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Aldred was born in 1845, and was 65 years of age at the time of death. Her maiden name was Samantha Campbell, and she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell.

Mrs. Aldred resided in Cincinnati until two months ago when she came to Portsmouth to live with her daughter. Her husband died in Cincinnati some time ago. She is survided by three brothers, one sister and five daughters. Her brothers Stewart, Smith and Powell Campbell reside at Picks Run, Ky., as does also her sister, Mrs. Margaret Strickland.

Her five surviving daughters are Mrs. Maggie Thomas, Mrs. Lina Hellbridle, Jane and Lydia Aldred, all of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Rhoda Hannard of Portsmouth. The body will be shipped Sunday to Vanceburg, Ky., where the burial will take place.

Railroad Men.

The Salvage will be open Monday night, April 25, to cash your checks. 220 Chillicothe street.

Miss Helen Knoxwell has returned to Cincinnati after a brief visit to West End relatives.

Hamilton Paper Gives Straus Fine Write-Up

The Hamilton, Ohio, Daily Journal, of Friday, contained an extended account of the new store opened in Hamilton by Si Straus, of this city, and Marcus Goodman, of Hamilton. The Journal said:

"The 'G., S. & Co.'

"This is the name of Hamilton's big and progressive retail clothing store that was formerly the Red Trunk, and owned by Virgil Gilcrest. After 27 years of honorable business career in Hamilton Mr. Gilcrest sold out his store to Si Straus, of Portsmouth, and Marcus W. Goodamn, of Hamilton.

"The Red Trunk, under the direction and ownership of Mr. Gilcrest always bore an enviable reputation for reliability and square dealing, and it is a pleasure to say that the store in its new hands, will go along the same lines. The people of Hamilton will be glad that this favorite store will continue its reliable qualities and they are also interested to know that the store will be more progressive than at any time in all its history. This means much to the buying public of Hamilton.

"It is only stating the truth that when Si Straus came to Hamilton, and invested his money in the clothing business the city obtained one of the livest wires in all Ohio in a business way. There is no clothing man in the state who stands any higher in a business way than Si Straus, and the influence of his genius has already been shown our people in the big sale he has conducted.

"So, after the long and honored career of V. Gilcrest it is eminently fitting and proper that his successor be a firm that the city can well be proud of, and is proud of.

"The Red Trunk store is now known as the 'G., S. & Co.'

"The 'G' stands for Goodman—Marcus W. Goodman, of Hamilton. The 'S' stands for Si Straus, of Portsmouth.

"These two men are known far and wide as big operators in the clothing world—owning many stores. In Portsmouth alone, they operate two, namely: 'The Salvage' and 'The Star.' In East Liverpool, O., they operate the 'Reliable.' These, as well as other stores, they are negotiating for, will give them a big chain of stores of which the Hamilton store will be one of the most important.

"The guiding hand of these big enterprises is Si Straus, of Portsmouth, and it is largely due to his efforts that their business has been the phenomenal success it has. He is one of the leading citizens of his home town—prominent in all public affairs. He is also identified with several large manufacturing concerns, as well as being connected with a large wholesale clothing house.

"Allied with Mr. Straus is our fellow townsman, Marcus A. Goodman—who is so well and favorably known. Mr. Goodman is one of our wealthy real estate men, being identified with many of our prominent financial men in big real estate holdings, not only in and around Hamilton, but throughout southern Ohio.

"Mr. Goodman is secretary and treasurer of the new 'G., S. & Co.' firm, and it is due to his efforts that the present company was organized and enabled to close the deal whereby they acquired the beautiful and well known Red Trunk store.

"Mr. Peter Centner, who has been engaged as manager of the Hamilton store, is recognized as one of the shrewdest young business men in the country. He was also a resident of Portsmouth, but with his family, has moved to Hamilton, and is now a lustling Hamiltonian.

"The new firm took hold of the Red Trunk store on Monday. They will likely make some improvements to the place before having a formal opening, which will be in about a week or 10 days. While they have not fully decided what their plans will be, Mr. Centner stated today that he would make an important announcement to the public within a few days.

"Hamilton people are glad to welcome Si Straus to the city's business circle. He is an up-to-date and progressive man, and will take a leading part in the progress and development of our city.

"It may be worth noting also that this new firm, the 'G., S. & C.,' is connected financially with large wholesale clothing houses and manufactories, thus insuring them a product that they can offer to the Hamilton people at prices that will be very attractive.

"The G., S. & Co will prove not only a worthy successor to the Red Trunk. It will be even better and greater. It will know no superior in popular favor."

Do not forget to call at the Corner Book Store for Wall Paper, Paint, Glass or Pictures. Second and Chillicothe Sts. 22-3

Mildred, a young daughter of Philip Frantz, has about fully recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

Married At Ironton

James E. Hannah and Miss Hazel Davis, of Fullerton, Ky., mention of whose elopement was made in Friday's Times, were married at Ironton instead of at Catlettsburg.

The ceremony was performed Tuesday at the Ironton court house by Squire Shafer.

Mrs. Pyles Has Relapse

Mrs. Jennie Pyles who has been ill for the last year with asthma and heart trouble and has been confined to her room for the past five months, suffered a relapse Wednesday night, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Reider of 332 East Third street and is now in a critical condition.

Mrs. Pyles is a woman of fine Christian character and refinement. She is loved by all who know her. Her many friends, both in this city and county, will be grieved to learn of her serious illness.

Grand River Excursion Steamer Island Queen

Monday, May 2 and Friday, May 6

AUSPICES

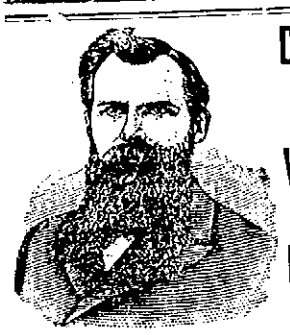
ELK LODGE

For benefit of Children's Free Kindergarten Schools. Boat leaves Market Street Wharf at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Music, Free Dancing, Refreshments.

Remember the Dates, May 2 and 6

Tickets now on sale at Fisher & Streich's, Wurster Bros., and Jas. Hager's Pharmacies.

ADULTS 50 Cents. CHILDREN 25 Cts.



Dr. Albert F. Snell

Will Be At Washington Hotel Portsmouth, Ohio, On Monday, May 2nd One Day Only!

Wherever he has been the community has been ELECTRIFIED to see him break crutches, canes and invalid chairs after he had made the maimed, lame, paralytic walk without them. Deafness treated successfully. They come to him for miles. He invites weak men and women suffering with chronic diseases of the lungs, stomach, liver or kidneys and women and with nervous prostration who are despondent and discouraged to be treated, no matter how many doctors have given you up; he only gets left-overs and last resorts. Remember time and place, WASHINGTON HOTEL, Portsmouth, Ohio, MONDAY, MAY 2, One Day Only.

Address all communications to DR. ALBERT F. SNELL, 16 GARFIELD PLACE, CINCINNATI, OHIO.

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Seventh and Chillicothe Sts. Both Phones.

POWELL HILL PASSED AWAY ON SATURDAY

Powell Hill, a well known and highly respected colored citizen, died Saturday morning at 4 o'clock at his home on North Waller street. Stomach trouble was the immediate cause of death.

Powell Hill was a relic of the ante-bellum days in the south, being born in Surrey county, North Carolina, in 1830. Although he was born in a slave state, both he and his parents were free. He came to Portsmouth in the second year of the civil war and resided here until his death. He was a faithful member of Allen chapel, and his funeral services will be conducted by the pastor, Reverend Myers, who knew him well.

Mr. Hill is survived by his wife, Mrs. Isabel Hill, and five children, Joseph, of Portsmouth; Mrs. Victoria Hollingsworth, of Portsmouth; Mrs. Ophelia Banks, of Columbus; Mrs. Lottie Shumake, of Cincinnati, and Ben Fawcett, of Portsmouth.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the house, and Rev. Myers will officiate. The burial will take place in Greenlawn.

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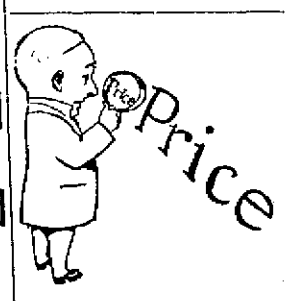

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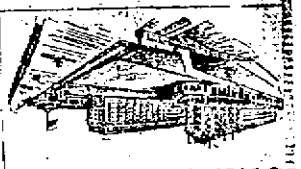

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FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO THE GREAT MANUFACTURERS' OUTLET SALE!

THE ATLAS TRADING CO. 603 CHILLICOTHE ST.

TO EQUIP CARS WITH FENDERS

The street railway company will equip all cars with fenders beginning June first.

This was the plan made known by Vice President Raymond D. York at a caucus meeting of the New Boston council, which body, it will be recalled, recently passed an ordinance calling upon the railway company to equip their cars traversing the tracks in that municipality with fenders by May first.

Mr. York stated further that the company would not only provide fenders for all main line cars, but would go further and equip the cars on the Third street and hilltop lines in Portsmouth.

Mr. York stated that the fenders had been ordered from the International Fender company, located in Massachusetts, and presented a blue print containing a diagram of the same. The fender, he said, is of the latest patent and is what is known as the self-acting, steel drop basket. As soon as any object strikes the fender, it immediately unfolds and picks up the object, and it is said to be so reliable in its mechanism that it will pick up a man lying on the ground.

Mr. York asked council to postpone the taking effect of the ordinance until June first, at which time the company will have provided with all its requirements.

President Levi D. York has all along maintained that most fenders were so constructed as to be of practically no benefit, and in some cases persons struck by them would be killed where otherwise they would have escaped serious injury. However, the basket fender is so made as to prove a great protection to unfortunate people who happen to be in the path of a moving car. For this reason all cars, with the exception of trailers, will be provided with them. The fenders hang back under the running boards of a car, and take up but little space, so as not to interefere in the rounding of curves.

Lucasville Woman Finds An Affinity

Of the elopement of a Lucasville woman, the Rural Gazette, of that town, says:

"Hannah, wife of Samuel McMillan, left during the darkness of Saturday night with a Thos. Cecil for parts unknown. The matrimonial sea of Sam's life has been stirred to wavelets on several occasions, but following the way of all waters, has always returned to placidity again.

"Sam and wife have enjoyed several months of peaceful harmony, but it was too good to last. Tom, who is a widower, and who has a son about 16 years old, appeared on the scene a few weeks ago when he commenced work as a bricklayer at the Bannon arch. A mutual affinity sprang up between the widower and the wife, growing in intensity each day, until finally the point was reached where prudence was cast to the winds, and they emigrated to climes more suitable to their ardent affections.

Sam says one man's loss is another man's gain, that he is happy in his freedom, and that Cecil has a white elephant on his hands."

Proposed Sewer Caused Protest

Mike Friel, well known retired citizen of the West End, called at the city building Saturday morning and served a written notice upon Service Director John Jones forbidding any city officials or employes from trespassing upon his Market street premises.

Mr. Friel's notice answers the purpose of a protest against traversing his property with a sanitary sewer branch, which it is proposed to extend to the rear of the properties occupied by Alex Glockner, Fred Straus, Frank Amann, A. Brunner, Adolph Hurth, Joe Schaefer and others. These had hoped to have the sewer through their basements, two feet below the surface to avoid cutting up the vacant lot in the rear, but Mr. Friel's opposition will make it necessary to use the yard space instead of the cellars.

U. S. Army Military Tournament at the Pastime theater. It is great. 20-3

New Autos On the Way

W. J. Friel stated Saturday morning that a car load of Ford touring cars would arrive here, Monday. They will be distributed in this city, but to whom Mr. Friel will not say as yet.

League Is To Meet

President William Gableman and Treasurer R. D. York will leave early Sunday morning for Columbus, where they will attend a meeting of the magnates of the Ohio State league, which will be held in the Neil house, and at which time the schedule for the coming season will be adoped. Do not be at all surprised should the league be made up of eight cities, now that the Virginia league has blown over. Huntington is sure of a berth, and President Robert W. Read has another town in the northern part of the state that wants in the fold and has all the necessary backing to entitle it to admission. Messrs. Gableman and York expect to attend the Columbus-Toledo game at Neil park Sunday afternoon as guests of the Columbus club.

To Have Vacation.

Fred Hedrick, N. & W. station agent at Wheelersburg, will leave Sunday for his home in West Virginia, where he will enjoy a month's vacation. A relief man was sent on Saturday to fill his position.

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Reached An Agreement On Scale

Wellston, O., April 23.—After unanimously accepting the report of the scale committee, which provided for an increase in all departments for the next two years, the miners and operators of subdistrict 2 of district 6, embracing Jackson, Lawrence and Vinton counties, who have been in joint session here four days, adjourned Friday afternoon. The new scale shows an increase of from 2 to 9 cents.

The operators agreed that there would be no advance in the cost of powder or in the rent of the company houses. President H. L. Chapman, of the operators, and Secretary G. W. Savage, of the Mine Workers, before returning to Columbus expressed themselves as being satisfied with the new scale and delighted with the unusual harmony of the meeting.

Chillicothe, O., April 23.—The miners and operators of the Hocking-Vinton district, who have been in session here for two weeks, adjourned until Monday. They are still far from an agreement.

ONE MAN HAS DONE WORK

Cal Lewis was the first of the census enumerators in the city to complete his work. Cal finished up Saturday morning, having spent just a week in securing the population of Precinct B, of the Fourth ward. He may be sent down into Adams county to do some special work for the census bureau.

Friel Is To Put In Plant

William Friel, proprietor of an auto garage on West Fifth street, has made all necessary preparations for the installation of an up-to-date vulcanizing plant, which he hopes to have in operation by the last of next week. This addition to his garage will be in the hands of a competent man from the Goodrich Rubber Co., of Akron. He will also install an air compressing machine that will inflate a tire in less than 20 seconds.

Confer Degrees.

Calvary Commandery No. 13 conferred the Order to Temple upon Charles Daehler, Orville Sprague and Thomas Kendall, on Friday evening. A large number of Knights were present to witness the work.

LeviMoore Is Given Place

Waverly, O., April 23.— Judge Middleton this morning in common pleas court appointed Attorney Levi B. Moore, prosecuting attorney of Pike county to fill vacancy occasioned by the death of the late James A. Douglas, who died in office.

Mr. Moore was formerly clerk of courts being admitted to the practice of the law some eight or ten years ago. He has been associated with Attorney F. E. Dougherty.

Mr. Moore is a Republican and was Mr. Douglas' unsuccessful opponent for this office at the election two years ago.

Mr. Moore's appointment will hold until a successor is elected at the fall election in November and immediately upon the receipt of his commission by the successful candidate he will at once enter upon the duties of the office.

Attorney S. D. McLaughlin who was contesting with Dr. George N. Nye and C. A. Vallery for the Democratic nomination for county representative has listened to the unanimous call of his party, has withdrawn from the representative contest and will accept the short and full term nomination for prosecuting attorney.

Attorney McLaughlin served two terms as prosecutor some 15 years ago and made a splendid record in the office.

Hans' for a new suit.

Money For Church

E. O. Downs, cashier of the Ohio State Life Insurance company, arrived here from Columbus Saturday noon with the $5000 loan made to First Baptist church. The money was turned over to the trustees at a meeting held Saturday afternoon. The loan was secured through Mayor Searcy, who is the local representative of the above company.

LAWSON AWARDED $4,485 DAMAGES

The condemnation suit of the city against Thomas B. Lawson was continued till late Friday evening and adjournment was taken to Saturday morning, at 8 o'clock. Considerable interest is being taken in the case by outside parties and the court room is tolerably well filled at each session.

Some little excitement was created Friday evening when Attorney Clint M. Searl, representing the defendant with Attorneys Harry Miller and H. T. Bannon, incurred the wrath of the court while his client, Mr. Thomas B. Lawson, was testifying. The defendant was being cross examined by city's attorney, Horace Small and Mr. Searl insisted on asking his client a few questions to keep him from getting confused in his testimony.

The court ordered Attorney Searl to keep his seat and not interfere with the witness while testifying.

Mr. Searl insisted upon asking the questions and some sharp words passed between him and the court.

Judge Beatty at last ordered Searl to take his seat and keep it or he said he would have him forcibly removed from the court room.

Thomas B. Lawson, the defendant, valued his buildings at $4900 and the land at $2515; total $7415.

John R. Hughes valued the buildings at $4300 and the land at $1570; total $5870.

J. M. Fowler valued the buildings at $5100 and the land at $1140, total $6240.

T. B. Blake valued the buildings at $4800 and the land at $1635, total $6435.

James A. Maxwell valued the buildings at $3550 and the land at $1470, total $5020.

The defense then rested and the city placed J. J. Brushart, one of the city real estate appraisers on the stand. He valued the buildings at $2100 and the land at $1150, total $3250.

J. F. Strayer, also one of the city real estate appraisers, valued the buildings at $2650 and the lands at $1405, total $4055.

Peter Revare, also one of the city real estate appraisers, valued the buildings at $2650 and the land at $1067, total $3717.

Court then adjourned until 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

The condemnation suit of the city against Thomas B. Lawson was called promptly at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. The following three witnesses testified on behalf of the city which concluded the evidence.

Albert Zoellner valued the buildings at $1600 and land at $1760, total $3360.

E. J. Daehler valued the buildings at $2950 and the land at $804, total $3754.

Benj. A. Harwood, a member of the board of city real estate appraisers, valued the buildings at $2400 and the land at $1393, total $3793.

Special instructions prepared by the attorneys were delivered to the jury by the court after which the case was argued to the jury by opposing counsel, each side being allowed forty-five minutes for argument.

Attorney H. T. Bannon, in opening the argument for the defense, caused a ripple of laughter to spread through the court room by handing out a reference to Philo S. Clark. He stated that Mr. Small had accused him of coaching Mr. Clark in his testimony. "Why, the idea," said he "of me coaching Mr. Clark. He coached me into a lot of trouble not long since, but, I'll tell you, the boot is on the other foot now." This, however, he said was ancient history and did not enter the law suit.

The general instructions to the jury by Judge Beatty were lengthy and very clear on the points which they were to pass upon. The attorneys complimented the court very highly on the manner in which he handled the case and each appeared to be well pleased. The case was given to the jury at about 10:15.

The jury reported at 12 o'clock, giving Mr. Lawson $4485. It was divided as follows: Stable, $700; big house, $1255; small house, $600; first tract of land, $1300; corner tract, $330; damages to residue, $300; total $4485.

See the $15 suits at Hans'.

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THIS month's Edison Record list is remarkable in that it introduces two new Grand Opera stars of the Manhattan Opera House, New York—Carmen Melis, prima donna; and Gustav Huberdeau, basso; besides records by Marguerita Sylva, Blanche Arral and Riccardo Martin. But not only from the standpoint of Grand Opera is this month's list remarkable. The biggest hit of the season, "Has anybody here seen Kelly?" is on the Amberol (four minute) list and Billy Murray's newest success "He's a College Boy" is a head-liner from the Standard (two minute) list. And these are just samples—your dealer will play anything on this list, you wish to hear, on the Edison Phonograph.

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413 La Gipsy—Mazurka Écossaise......Sousa's Band
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416 Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly? Billy Murray and Chorus
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422 Down in Turkey Hollow......Golden and Hughes
423 Strauss Memories Waltz National (London) Military Band
424 One Little Girl, Harvey Hindermeyer and Chorus
425 Though Your Sins Be as Scarlet, Stanley & Gillette
426 Patrol Comique....American Standard Orchestra
427 I'd Like to Be the Fellow that Girl is Waiting For..........Joe Maxwell
428 The Suffragette......Ada Jones and Len Spencer
429 To You—Waltz Serenade Vienna Instrumental Quartette
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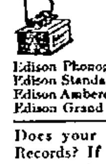
B150 Coeur et la Main—Bolero (*Lecocq*) Sung in French. Orchestra accompaniment Blanche Arral, Soprano
B151 Cavalleria Rusticana—Brindisi (*Mascagni*) Sung in Italian. Orchestra accompaniment Riccardo Martin, Tenor
B152 Mignon—Berceuse (*Thomas*) Sung in French. Orchestra accompaniment Gustave Huberdeau, Baritone

Standard

10350 Narcissus......................Sousa's Band
10351 Christmas Time Seems Years and Years Away...................Manuel Romain
10352 Two Giddy Goats Miss Stevenson and Mr. Stanley
10353 Hungarian Dance—D Victor Herbert and His Orchestra
10354 He's A College Boy ...Billy Murray and Chorus
10355 Some Day.......Miss Marvin and Mr. Anthony
10356 Return of the Arkansas Traveler...Len Spencer
10357 Farintosh and Jenney (Violin) Dang the Weaver William Craig
10358 Come to the Land of Bohemia.....Joe Maxwell
10359 Just a Little Ring From You Ada Jones and Billy Murray
10360 That Lovin' Rag..............Sophie Tucker
10361 Under the Tent ..American Standard Orchestra
10362 By the Light of the Silvery Moon ...Ada Jones
10363 Stop That Rag.......Collins and Harlan
10364 En Route to Camp March New York Military Band



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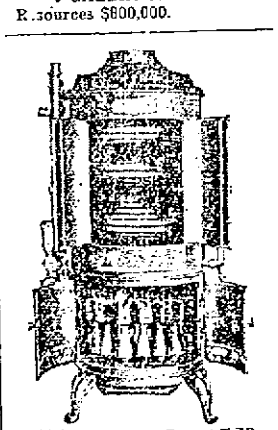

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ROM JOHNSON RESORTS TOWARD HEELER PLOTS

The tricky, scheming, highway robbery methods that have ever characterized the political career of A. R. Johnson, the Ironton ward worker, who misrepresents this district in congress, were again strikingly made manifest on Friday, when Johnson tried to prevent the filing of the nominating petition of Edmond H. Willis, as the Democratic candidate for congress, in opposition to himself.

The secretary of state had ruled that Friday was the last day that nominating petitions could be filed. The deputy supervisors of elections here had so ruled and to accommodate the prospective candidates had even called a special meeting for Friday in order to receive the petitions.

Early Friday the petitions mentioning Edmond H. Willis were received by Chief Deputy James H. Folsom, and by him accepted.

Right here is where the dirty and reckless tactics that have made A. R. Johnson notorious as a political trickster, began to get in evidence. A man named Jones, said to a lawyer or a clerk in A. R. Johnson's office, called up Chief Deputy Folsom and protested, in the name of Johnson, against the acceptance of the Willis petition. Jones said that Johnson said that the deputy supervisors of election had no right to accept the petition, that the time limit for filing petitions had expired Thursday night at midnight.

But Chief Deputy James H. Folsom refused to be a tool to carry out Johnson robbery. He held, and in this was unanimously supported by his three colleagues, that the time limit did not expire until Friday at midnight. In this matter Folsom and the board are sustained by the election authorities of the state, as already stated. For instance, in Columbus, on Friday they were still circulating petitions for candidates and did not expect to file them until late in the evening.

Disregarding the "Rom" Johnson trickery protest, the Scioto county board of elections Friday certified the name of Mr. Willis along with that of Johnson, to the various county election boards and ordered the names placed upon the primary ballot for May 17th.

The extreme length to which the Johnson gang will go was further shown by an inspired, lying article in the Ironton organ of Johnson, the Register. Under big headlines the Register published this:

"Today (Friday) Hon. E. H. Willis, of Jackson, a Jeffersonian Democrat, thinking he had a splendid opportunity to go to congress by running in opposition to Hon. A. R. Johnson, came to Franklin Furnace with his petition with Mr. Folsom. As the time for filing petitions expired at midnight Thursday night, April 21, Mr. Willis was told by Mr. Folsom that he had just as well go back home as his name could not be printed upon the ballot."

This article is a mass of lies. Mr. Willis did not go to Franklin Furnace. Mr. Willis did not see Mr. Folsom. Mr. Willis did not have his petitions turned down. Mr. Willis was not told by Mr. Folsom to "go back home as his name would not be printed upon the ballot." On the contrary Mr. Willis' petition was filed by friends with Mr. Folsom at Portsmouth, was accepted and ordered placed on the ballot.

Just what Johnson expected to gain by this flimsy trick is hard to understand on any other hypothesis than that the shiftiness and general recklessness of the man in political matters had to find expression in some manner.

There is absolutely nothing too despicable, it seems, for A. R. Johnson to stoop to, in order to gain a political end. The man seems to have no conception of the honor and dignity of his office and continually brings shame to the district by playing peanut politics and resorting to ward heeler tactics.

And such is the man whom the voters of the Tenth district are asked to return to congress.

Streich Gets Prescriptions

As I am retiring from the drug business I have disposed of my prescription files to the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, any of my customers who desire to have any refilled can do so by calling at the corner of Sixth and Chillicothe streets. Thanking my friends and patrons for their liberal patronage in the past, I am yours respectfully,

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Address Was Fine

The address given in First Christian church last night by Mr. E. W. Thornton, of Long Beach, California, was a most inspiring message. Mr. Thornton has been a Sunday school specialist for years and shows his power in his versatility, personal magnetism, vigorous thinking, and wide acquaintance in the wonderful field of opportunity—the Sunday school world. He left Portsmouth this morning for Athens where he speaks tonight.

Mrs. Charles Kirsch, of West Third street, has recovered from a brief illness.

Huntington View Of That New Road

Concerning the Hocking Valley extension to the Ohio river, the Huntington Advertiser says:

"Southern Ohio is alive with interest nowadays in the connecting line which is to be built from the Chesapeake & Ohio to the Hocking Valley. It is certain that this line is to be built but recent developments has created some doubt as to whether it will extend from Huntington to Wellston or Jackson, or from Portsmouth or Ironton to either Wellston or Jackson.

"The route leading from Huntington to Wellston through the Symmes creek valley is looked upon as the most likely, as the Symmes creek valley has large deposits of coal as yet undeveloped.

"A report from Wellston indicates that the people of that city have been given assurance that the northern terminal will be located there. Jackson has been endeavoring to secure it through the offer of yard and switching sites, but it now seems probable that these efforts will not prove successful."

Sunday School Has Gotten More Room

Rev. E. J. Meacham has secured form Mr. Edgar Miller permission to use the lower floor of the factory building on East Third street, just vacated by the Mitchell Manufacturing company, for Sunday school purposes. The two office rooms are being put in readiness today for class work on tomorrow.

This building being directly across the street from the church, affords a splendid place for trying out some new lines of Sunday school work, which have been most successful and helpful in other cities. The Sunday school of First Christian church is wide-awake and eager to take hold of all good things that make it more efficient in good works.

At Funeral Of Her Aunt

Mrs. Christopher Schmitt has returned from Summerville, O., where she attended the funeral of an aunt Mrs. Valentine Schmitt who died there at the age of 90 years.

Special sale on National Biscuit Co. package goods, Friday and Saturday at The Central Grocery for quality. Both phones 158. 22-2

Frank Miller, druggist, is able to be out again after a three days' attack of the grip.

NEW SYSTEM OF SIGNALS WAS INSTALLED

Bluefield, W. Va., April 23.—The Norfolk & Western has installed a system known as a quadrant system of signals at the Hatfield tunnel, near Williamson, and the new signals were put in operation on Wednesday. On Monday the new system of automatic signals between Devon and Williamson will be put in working order and from that time they will be used. The superintendent has issued instructions which must be followed so as to preserve life and property and to secure the proper working of signals. These are only a few of the improvements which the road is making at this time.

Was Known In Portsmouth, O.

Mrs. Katherine Kunzelmann died at her home in Cincinnati a few days ago at the age of 59 years. She was well known here.

Haas' for a good fitting suit.

POLITICAL GOSSIP

Up in Ironton there is a man who rejoices in the name of Jed B. Bibbee, who sometimes practices law and most times makes a loud noise that gets his name in the papers. The other day Jed concluded he would like to go to the Ohio senate, paid his $3 for an announcement in the daily press and set out happily to capture the Lawrence county Republican delegation to the senatorial convention. Then Mr. Bibbee was hit by something and the Bibbee yell is reverberating throughout southern Ohio. Jed found that the wicked "Rom" Johnson, the excellent Clark Lowry and the patriotic Forest Andrews, who used to have a spasm every second at the name of Johnson, had made a gentleman's agreement among themselves and coolly divided the perquisites of Lawrence county Republicanism. By the agreement Mr. Johnson was to have the county committee and be unopposed in Lawrence for congress. In return he was to hand the Lawrence Republican senatorial delegation over to Andrews to do with as he pleased. These two and no more were in the deal, and the Hon. Jed B. Bibbee was frozen out before he got into the game. Also Clark Lowry was to go back to the legislature.

Some way it is hard to feel sorry for the euphonious Mr. Bibbee. In days gone by his voice has oft been lifted in praise of Adam Romulus and his methods and he rejoiced much as what has been handed out to him, was handed to others. One does wonder, though, as to what sort of stuff the Republicans of Lawrence county are made of. They seem to be like putty men in the hands of their bosses.

Brother Sibley, of the Gallipolis Tribune, is deeply moved at the spectacle of the Hon. Bibbee yelling at the moon and he condoles with the frozen-out one in this fashion: "Doth the wild ass bray when he hath grass?
Or loweth the ox over his fodder?
Can that which hath no savor be eaten without salt?
Or is there any taste in the white of an egg?
What things my soul refuseth to touch,
These are as my loathsome meat.

"Not exactly in the words of Job does Jed B. Bibbee, of Ironton, mourn a calamity that hath befallen him. Not exactly. He sends a more modern bunch of language hurtling through the air. Jed has been a candidate for state senator. He says the thoughtless and careless Clark Lowry has 'steam rollered' him. The deal to steam roller me has all been fixed,' says Jed; 'the deal has been made to give Roman the Lawrence county delegation and I know it, but I am in the race to see the finish.'

"Thus saith Bibbee, and his bowels are stirred with indignation, and he even hints that the anti-Johnson crowd in Ironton are not guiltless of this hideous conspiracy. We only suggest Ecclesiastes to our friend Bibbee. It has much wisdom for those who have been 'steam rollered.' For instance:

"'Vanity of vanities, saith the preacher, vanity of vanities, all is vanity. What profit hath man of all his labor wherein he laboreth under the sun?

"'The wind goeth toward the south, and turneth about unto the north; it turneth about continually in its course, and the wind returneth again to its circuits.

"'All things are full of weariness, man cannot utter it: the eye is not satisfied with seeing, nor the ear filled with hearing.

"'That which hath been is that which shall be; and that which hath been done is that which shall be done: and there is no new thing under the sun.

"'I have seen all the works that are done under the sun; and, behold, all is vanity, and a striving after wind. That which is crooked cannot be made straight, and that which is wanting cannot be numbered.'

"Yes, for a man who has been 'steam rollered,' or is about to be 'steam rollered,' we commend the immortal Ecclesiastes."

Up in Pike county the skies are clearing for Dr. George B. Nye and his re-nomination for representative seems assured. S. D. McLaughlin, who was the most formidable candidate against Nye, has come out for prosecuting attorney and C. A. Valery is alone in the field against Nye. Nye has the support of the Federation of Labor in his fight, the legislative agents of the Federation endorsing him for his support of all labor measures.

The Gould organization in Jackson is mildly protesting that the Hon. Edwin Jones is running over them with a steam-roller. In calling a county convention to select delegates to various conventions the Jones committee provided for a delegate from each precinct while the Gould crowd wanted the delegates pro rated, according to the Republican vote. "Robber," "Traitor," "double-dyed villain," are a few of the milder terms applied to Jones by the Gould faction organs.

To add to the general gaiety of things in Jackson county Senator Dan'l Webster Williams took his pen in hand and accused the Gould crowd of everything in the political catalogue of sins, crimes and misdemeanors.

"Look at the traitors!" shrieked Dan'l Webster. "Look at them! The Gould gang have fed at the public crib so long that they get mad, balk, and play the baby act when the voters place the organization in other hands.

"There is nothing more true than that this clique or gang think the court house and all the offices therein belong absolutely to them. And how much taxes do they pay yearly into the county treasury?—We wonder. How much they take out of the treasury every year is easy—simply all they can get. The Gould, Eubanks and Powell Office Grabbers' association evidently imagines that the Republican party was organized for the sole purpose of collecting monies to pay salaries to their little cliques."

Parson G. James Jones, of the Oak Hill Press, the same gent whom Senator Dan'l Webster Williams said preached on Sundays and served the devil on weekdays, had but little to say this week. He contented himself by hurling this bomb at Senator Williams:

"He (Williams) has no chance at all. The people will not vote for him. Even the election of a United States senator will be no inducement for the people to vote for him. His goose is cooked. The Jonesites are just as anxious to get rid of him as any others."

Dr. J. W. Guthrie and E. A. Crawford will be the Adams county members of the new Democratic congressional committee.

That famous deal in Adams by which H. H. Mechlin's political followers stole his political clothes and sold them to A. R. Johnson, has resulted in a new deal in Adams Republican politics. Rolnick, Sutterfield, Daulton, et al, who used to wear the Johnson livery have been turned out into the April pastures. One, Shuster, who was most active in robbing Mechlin of his raiment, is the Johnson boss in Adams. The Rolnick crowd have nominated L. J. Fenton and Homer Sutterfield for members of the congressional committee. The Shuster crowd did not file their candidates' names until late Friday night.

There is not much of the spectacular about the fight between the Republican factions here in Scioto county, but it is stubborn, determined battle to the death. The determination to smash the Philo ring is deep-seated and permeates the rank and file of the party, who see no chance for any one save a select bunch of henchmen, so long as Mr. Clark dominates the party organization. The personnel of the men who are opposing the Clark machine as candidates for committeemen and delegates, indicates this feeling. Men who have never taken interest, save to vote, are out as candidates and are working earnestly. The list, when published, will surprise the people.

Nate B. Gilliland is sweeping over the county like a young cyclone and he says that everywhere he meets with encouragement in his fight for the nomination for representative. Harry W. Miller is digging in, too, but is not covering ground like his opponent.

Since the publication by the Times of the fact that Philo Clark had promised Pete Brown, Jake Kuchner, Jim Spencer and Jack Finney his support for the three commissionerships, this noble and patriotic newspaper has been besieged by emissaries of the quartette, seeking definite information as to which one of the four is to get the double cross and wake up outside the breastworks. The Times is sorry it cannot identify the corpse. All it knows is that each of the four has a solemn promise of the gang support and that one will be disappointed.

Bulletin.—Former Recorder George Shoppard has joined the Clark gang.

Olive Hill Girl Was Taken In Charge By Local Police Friday

The vigilance of Officer Tom McCarty saved a young country girl from falling into the hands of a man who was trying to induce her to go with him Friday afternoon.

The girl was 18-year-old Anna Webb, of Olive Hill, Ky. The girl is a daughter of Jim Webb, a Carter county, Ky., farmer. She left home some days ago, having received the consent of her parents to take employment in Ashland. From there she decided to come to Portsmouth. She crossed to Ironton Thursday evening and was taken in by a private family. She left Ironton early Friday, walking all the way to Wheelersburg. The girl wore no hat and was thinly clad. She had a little money and so did not want for food. At Wheelersburg a stranger supplied her with a ticket to Portsmouth, and she boarded N. & W. passenger train No. 16. Passengers noticed a man taking unusual interest in the girl, and they concluded he was planning to entrap the unsuspecting maiden. As soon as the train reached Portsmouth several of these rushed up to Officer McCarty and acquainted him with their fears. McCarty found the girl and took her into custody, but the man had disappeared in the crowd. The girl reluctantly admitted the man had wanted her to accompany him, he promising to find a good place for her.

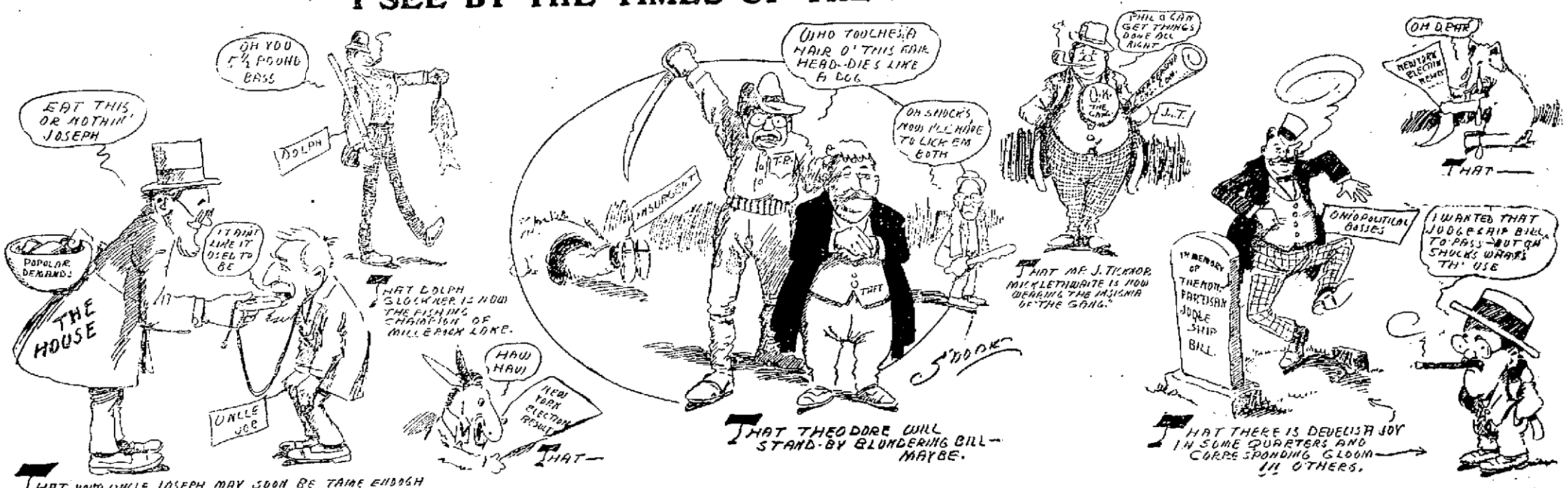
The girl was taken to headquarters and closely questioned. She told the officers that she had come here solely to find employment. She admitted to having been in a party that came down the Ohio in a flat boat last fall, and which police one night caused to be raided, sending all back to Kentucky, but at that time she was under the protection of a married sister, Mrs. Tilda Hawkensmith.

Chief Davidson turned the girl over to Mrs. Grafton Johnson, of West Second street, who will communicate with her parents, and unless employment is found for her, and if agreeable to all, may have her placed in a refuge home.

Local Prudential insurance agents will attend a district meeting at Chillicothe next Tuesday.

Lehman's reliable shoes.

I SEE BY THE TIMES OF THE PAST WEEK BY SHONK



For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD

For a Child's Coat

LET me recommend to your notice the ever-useful collar and cuff set, which is, or should be, a part of the lightweight cloth or linen or pique coat for every little child.

The first days of spring call forth new coats of unlined cloth, and upon these will be seen white collars and cuffs.

The little summer garment of heavy linen is the one which I would particularly call to your notice.

It is usually cut with a straight back, two straight fronts and with merely a seam on each shoulder and under each arm.

This is the plainest type of good-fitting, satisfactory and easily made coat that we know of. I have always said that any mother who can make a successful nightgown or long-sleeved gingham apron for a child will be able to accomplish a coat of perfectly plain cut.

Upon any coat of this character the collar on our page will fit, provided it be laid round the neck and the line of the coat's opening be planned to accommodate it. The cuffs will, of course, be in keeping with the long straight coat sleeve, and pockets may be used if desired.

Should you prefer a shorter coat, use the same collar and cuffs, and turn up the coat, so that its finished edge reaches the fingertips.

Upon the coarse linen of your collar and cuffs pad all of the scallops with soft, unfinished cotton, and buttonhole them to the point of close perfection, if you would guarantee their laundering quality. The scalloped edge wears well when correctly done.

Each single line is to be done in stem-stitch, each tiny leaf and petal in solid over-and-over stitch, and every circle is to be an eyelet to vary the work and give a desirable open effect.

The material used most frequently upon heavy linen is mercerized cotton, and white the color. I feel it to be a pity to recommend even the prettiest colors, since they are quite likely to fade and waste your work.

The design is of unusual merit, and just at present most of the prettiest French collars for women and children preserve the greatest simplicity in their patterns, but, mark you, the best of work in the execution.

Sketch of the finished coat

SAILOR AND MIDDY

THE sailor dress and the middy blouse have reached a state of perfection, so far as pattern and workmanship go, that make them more than ever desirable for little boys and girls as well as for older girls, and even for their youthful mothers who need the outing garment for camping or seashore wear.

It is not now possible to escape the becoming line in the middy garment, since they have been planned in many ways to suit various figures and faces. Collars are elongated as to the front point, or they are short and broad in effect; they are even square. Some of them are of moderate size, while others extend down, covering the shoulders and nearly half of the back.

The stitched piece which forms a straight or shaped yoke is variously cut, and the blouse is made to button in front or to slip on over the head, and, last but not least, the sleeve is of several shapes and the cuff is a band or is formed by let-in pleats.

The sleeve may be the regulation mannish sailor-cut, fastened at the arm's eye to the garment and then seamed from the cuff up the arm, including the under-arm seam; or else it is so cut as to be of a more girlish outline, with a few gathers at the top and let into the arm's eye after the blouse has been put together.

Indeed, it is scarcely possible to fail in the making of the middy blouse when once you have grasped the idea and learned to do straight work on the machine.

Now, as to the main body of the garment: it no longer is as bulky as it once was, but takes on more fitted lines, suitable for the older girl.

Whether it be worn within the skirt or outside, it is fitted more closely, and if considered desirable, it may be shortened, after the final shrinkage has taken place, and then fastened to a belt which shall button to the skirtband.

The middy blouse is, however, often worn outside of the skirt. It is so finished that its hem is neatest upon the wrong side, so that it may be turned up and buttoned in this position by buttons placed in pairs at the back, front and each side.

As to the skirt for this type of blouse: A very good fit about the waist line and the hips is demanded, and as little extra fullness as possible, because, at best, the middy suit, being made of none too lightweight material, is heavy.

A very slightly kilted skirt, having three or four large pleats on each side, is a good model when it is taken into a fitted yoke at the top.

Lacing through eyelets at the back vent is still in vogue, or buttons or lacings at each side of the front panel.

For the young woman the middy blouse is a negligee street costume, and when is this type bad form in midsummer, except for parties?

And for the little tot there can scarcely be imagined a time when a well-made all-white sailor suit will be out of place. Its cleanliness will pass it anywhere.

A Present for Baby

ONE of the prettiest baby presents we know of is the hood and cape, and there can be devised no more necessary garment for throwing round the little one.

Plain challis, French flannel or fine cashmere will make a beautiful cape; perhaps the last-named is the most satisfactory.

There are two ways of making a comfortable cape. It may be lined with China silk or left without a lining, but in either case the hood demands a soft lining against the head. A twist of ribbon passes round the back of the neck on the outside, holding in the fullness of cap and cape and ending in a rosette at each side of the tiny face.

From this point hangs an end of ribbon to tie the cape together at the throat.

A tiny circular design of flowers and stems is often embroidered on each of the pointed ends of the cape and on each side of the cap above the rosette.

Whatever liberties you have decided to use are now larded in, and the seaming along the edge is worked through cashmere and lining silk.

Delicate blue or pink, embroidered in silk floss, will make a most attractive gift for some little stranger if the ribbons used for strings and rosettes are the rich wide variety of the work quality to the same shade.

A Pointed Petticoat

THE seven-gored skirt pattern lends itself well to a late petticoat model which is well liked.

A deep flounce falls from beneath points cut in the upper or fitted section of the skirt. Each gore is cut into a single deep point at the knee line.

On a perfectly plain petticoat these points are stitched smoothly over a tucked flounce, but on the more frivolous garment they are edged with lace, which is taken round the point by a fulling process, and to the lower edge of this lace is rolled the gathered edge of a sheer flounce made to fit it. The bottom of the flounce is deeper lace matching that to which it is sewn.

Stencils on Crepe

SOME very pretty stencil work is being done on cotton crepe for wearing apparel, but it can only be recommended for dressing gowns and boudoir robes.

While it is generally understood that the carefully applied stencil will launder if luke-warm soapy water be used, it cannot be much of fancy work to be recommended for actual dresses.

Upon the dressing gown, however, a dainty butterfly stenciled at intervals on a crepe surface is graceful, and a conventional floral design or repeat for the lower front hems and for the flowing sleeves is most effective.

The embroidery silks on crepe are those on which a pleasing blending of contrasting tones are most successfully applied.

To All Embroiderers

THE need of good tools is felt first of all by the novice who has not yet gotten any, but the old embroiderer grows easily careless of this lack, and though she feels it she neglects the purchase of such new devices as the latest shape in hoops or the smallest size, either of which may wonderfully improve her work.

There are needles, too, for various silks and yarns, without which some hour substitute is resorted to, to the everlasting disadvantage of worker and, sadder to relate, the work.

Professional work is not always possible without a frame, and this would prove its necessity even to the amateur.

A book of stitches, or even a general work upon hand embroidery, will throw light upon many a doubtful point, and persistent visits to the counters or departments of art needlework will add much useful information.

Sleeve Trimming

ALL tricks and trimmings running round a sleeve are in good lines for the present season.

They are becoming in similar ways, they provide a rich means of introducing lace insertion or embroidery into the sleeve region of a garment, and they give the general impression of the additional sleeve.

Bordure Materials

BORDERED materials, which are the "bordure" of the French, are having renewed success owing to the tunic line and the pleated short skirt.

Pattern dresses all show a certain decorated portion ready for use as a tunic, or else a sufficient length of print or embroidery in depth suited to a skirt.

Painting with stencilboard and dyes has been resorted to on sheer voiles to bring about the bordure effect, while the appliqué cut from cretonne or chintz is frequently applied to the garment proper and draped with chiffon to soften the possible crudeness of the hasty work.

The bordure is to be got by various methods. One device is the appliquéing of motifs of cluny upon handkerchief linen and the enhancing of this knee-deep work by powdered patterns of hand embroidery in coarse Japanese work.

This form of flat embroidery, too, has been employed alone to give a bordure effect to the tunic and the fichu, which often match.

Cushion Designs

THE present-day cushion design is decidedly conventional and takes on the upright lines of long stems or trellises rather than a circular pattern. Certain blossoms lend themselves more successfully than others to upright design.

There, for instance, are the Tudor rose, the peony, the Japanese iris and the tulip, all of which work up well with long stems and straggling leaves.

For these cushions the flat Japanese stitch is considered more effective than padded work, and the floss chosen is the same coarse stuff that goes in speedily, producing the best effect in the least time.

A Circular Sacque

A HASTILY made dressing sacque for an invalid may be cut like a cape on circular lines, and after the lower edge and the V-shaped neck opening are hem trimmed or bound and featherstitched, the little garment is drawn together under the arms to form a sleeve.

Exactly where the lines indicate the most comfortable sleeve two long buttonholes are worked upon the front of the garment at each side and upon the back at each side.

Four ribbons, an inch wide and three-quarters of a yard long will be required to form the sleeve.

Two are pulled through the corresponding slots under each arm and their ends tied together at the front and at the back, leaving strips of ribbon about four inches long on the outside of the garment to give looseness under the arm.

For Heavy Linen Waist

LACE insertion as a part of the embroidery design is not so frequent as in past seasons, but there is a rich pattern just out requiring a shoulder strap and three long upright strips of wide linen lace back and front upon the bodice sections.

At the end of each of these, which is the best for a large flower is embroidered in coarse cotton floss, and the blossom is repeated on the upper part of the sleeve where the shoulder strap ends.

The flower is an element that the petals run upward and represent the as a reception at the point where it joins the embroidered flower.

The center strip of lace on the front extends further down than the two side ones, this change is promised, producing a shape to the trimming.

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HOTEL BEAT IS DESERTED BY HIS FAMILY

His parents and former closest friends appear to have deserted C. S. Ford, the young hotel beat, in the hour of trouble.

Since brought back from Huntington the prisoner has addressed a number of letters asking his people or friends to come to his assistance but they have remained unanswered. Ford's father, Jos. Ford, who is a C. & O. trainmaster at Hinton, W. Va., absolutely refused to do anything for him even declining to as much as pay for the long distance telephone call made in the interest of the son.

Ford despite the complete turndown he has suffered seems to have lost none of his spirits and is still living on hopes that he will yet be spared a long prison sentence.

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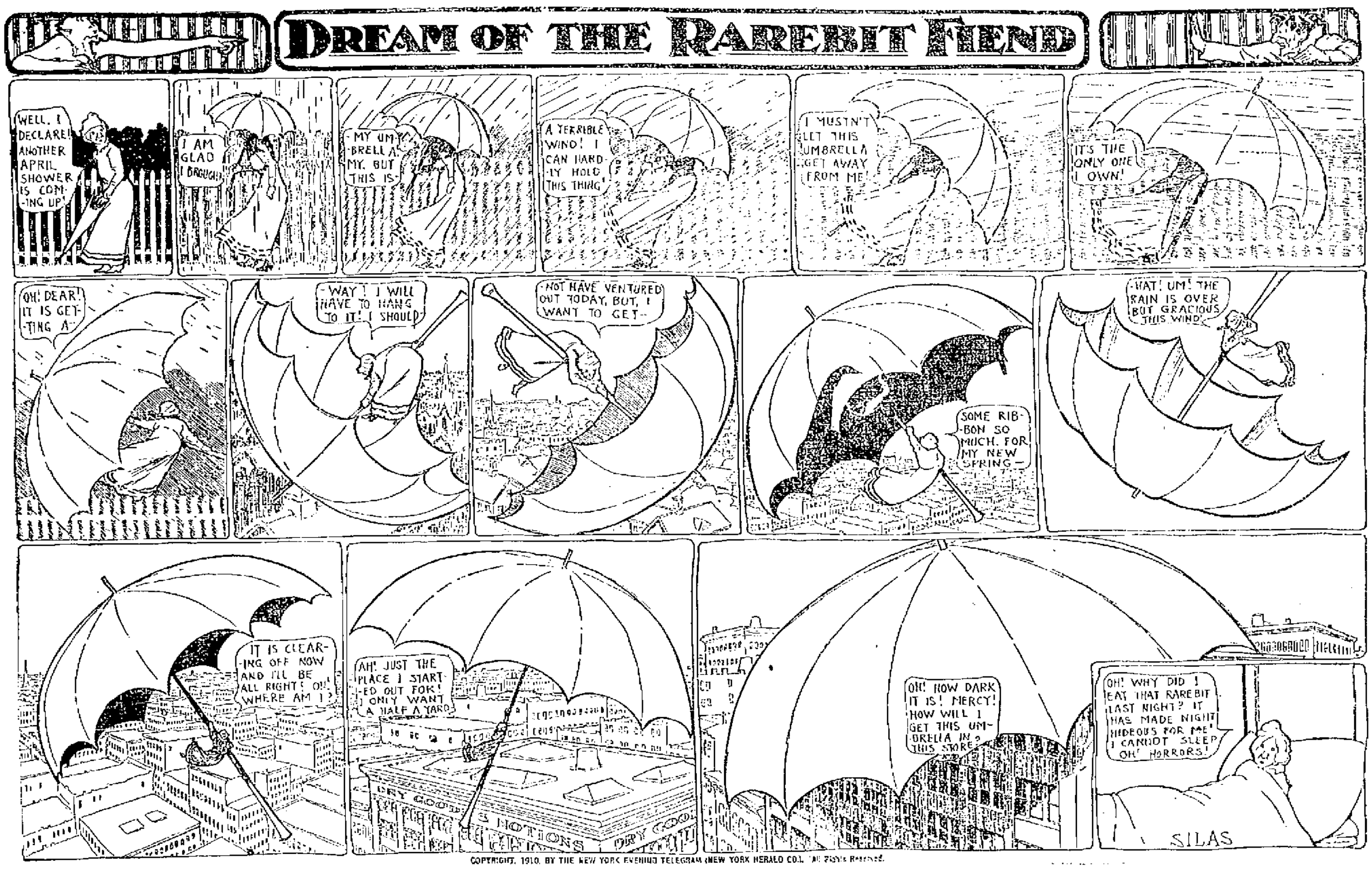
ROTH MAKES SACRIFICE

Conrad Roth is making quite a sacrifice by becoming a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county clerk. It was necessary for him to resign the office of clerk of the board of elections he thereby losing $138 which he would have drawn as pay for the serving of two weeks preceding the May primary, the allowance being $3 per precinct. His resignation takes effect May 1st.

Money to loan on real estate—The Royal Savings and Loan Co., 19 Gallia St. 21-3



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Is Grading Union St.

Contractor W. H. Hudson has commenced the grading of Union street from Front street south to the Upper Ferry landing. The new steam shovel purchased by Mr. Hudson recently is being used on this work and giving every satisfaction. A new ferry approach has long been needed and should prove an important improvement.

New Potatoes, String Beans, Peas, Egg Plant, Head Lettuce and all early vegetables at the Central Grocery for quality. Both phones 158. 22-2

Section Man Was Injured

Harry Virgin, an N. & W. section man met with a painful injury at Rushtown Friday. While cutting wood he struck his left foot laying it bare and splitting the bone.

Are Waiting On Hazy Days

Joe Schaefer and Jake Brooker, who have been partners in the [illegible] business for many seasons past, are awaiting some hot sunshine before establishing a camp for the summer.

Kills a Murderer.

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The Boss of the Establishment

He Explains About Thoroughbred Horses and Central Park Goats.

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BY AMERE MANN

"Fancy Dance is a pretty name," observed the Boss' Wife, studying her racing programme with an air of profound wisdom, "and so is Stephanotis. I don't know which to bet on! All the horses in the first race have such nice names. I think though, that Fancy Dance sounds the most like a winner!" She turned appealingly to the Boss of the Establishment. "Don't you think so, dear?"

"If fancy names make such a hit with you," remarked the Boss, derisively, "I should think you'd leave betting on horses alone and put your money on Pullman cars! Why don't you try to understand something of the sport—learn to know the fine points of a horse and be able to tell a thoroughbred from a Central Park goat! I'll teach you," he added, magnanimously. "Come on! We'll go down to the paddock and I'll show you a few things!"

So when the Boss strode importantly ahead of her, his rented field glass slung prominently across his four-track overcoat, she was prepared to accept his "dope" as the last word in racing lore.

"Look there!" exclaimed the Boss excitedly as a glistening seal brown thoroughbred pranced self-consciously before them. "That's Sea Robber, the pick of a Canadian stable. He ran here several years ago, but disappointed his backers. Look at that chest! Look at the spring to those superb legs!"

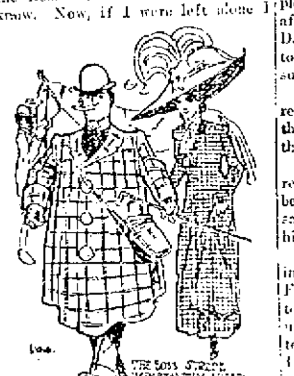
"Is that what you call springhalt?" asked the Boss' wife, innocently.

"Springhalt! I should say not!" the Boss answered, indignantly.

With a wary glance at Sea Robber's trainer, the Boss lowered his voice to a confidential Central-Office-detective whisper, and the words came from one side of his mouth. "I got the hottest kind of tip on Sea Robber this morning," he said. "All the racing sharks are playing him. They say he's been specially prepared for this race and that there will be the biggest kind of a killing!"

And the Boss looked like a Solomon without whiskers as he continued: "Just think! Sea Robber opened at 100 to 1 and the price has dropped to 30! I've got my whole wad on him at the top price!"

"He looks kind of fat," remarked the Boss' wife, "but of course, you know. Now, if I were left alone I



would bet on that bony nag over there—No. 7. He's not so pretty as Sea Robber, but he looks as if he could run very fast. I wonder what his name is?"

"That skate?" snorted the Boss. "I don't recognize the plater." Then, glancing at his programme, he added, "Huh! That's your friend, Fancy Dance! Never raced in the East before—odds 20 to 1."

"Look at him! Look at him! Isn't he the cutest thing you ever saw?" exclaimed the Boss' wife, rapturously, as Fancy Dance playfully kicked up his heels. "Oh, I must put $5 on him!"

"Don't you want to give it to him to eat instead of having a dinner for a bookmaker. Why, that's a mule, and he couldn't beat the train that brought us here!"

"Oh, of course, I know I'll lose it!" the lady answered, producing the money, "but you place it just to please me. You see, you are going to win so much on Sea Robber it won't matter about my little five!"

Obediently the Boss took her money. He led his wife back to her seat and then descended to the lawn alone.

But he did not place his wife's bet—not he! Women were hard losers, he reflected, and his mind drew a pleasant picture of her joy when, after the race was over and Fancy Dance "also ran," he should restore to her the unplaced greenback his superior wisdom had saved for her.

Slipping the bill into his pocket he returned to the grand stand just as the starter pressed the button and the race was on.

The Boss leaped to his chair, the rented field glass focused on Sea Robber, whose jockey, he observed with satisfaction, was very wisely holding him in.

At the half a long, lean, sandy animal—could it be? Yes, it was—Fancy Dance—took a sudden dislike to Sea Robber's company and moved up three horses. At the three-quarters the Boss remarked that Sea Robber's jockey was using whip and spurs.

"Too soon, too soon!" he yelled disapprovingly, and it was evident that Sea Robber thought so, too, for he backed up and jogged along in the ruck as contentedly as if he had been drawing a crosstown car.

What was that solitary steed leading gayly in the stretch? That long, bony, gawky beast that actually turned his head and reviewed his followers like the grand marshal of a St. Patrick's Day parade!

"Oh!" gurgled the Boss' Wife, ecstatically, "it's Fancy Dance!"

And in two seconds No. 7, Fancy Dance's number, went up on the board as the winner.

"Five dollars, at 20 to 1! Oh, I'll have $105! Go and get it quick!" she commanded.

And then the Boss, looking into the dancing brown eyes of his "one best bet," owned up.

Between them and walking the ties to Harlem was just one little forlorn greenback—the $5 he had not placed on Fancy Dance.

And then the Boss' Wife proved her title to be called a dead game sport.

"All right," she answered, smilingly, almost as if she meant it, and then her eyes twinkled. "What was the name of that goat you bet on—his last name, I mean?"

"Robber!" thundered the Boss. "Robber!"

"We went down to the track yesterday," said the Boss of the Establishment to the Confirmed Married Man next day, "and would you believe it, my wife wanted me to bet on an old spavined critter, just because he had a pretty name!"

TAG DAY DATE IS CHANGED

The Civic Improvement Association as announced Friday, decided to change Tag Day from next Tuesday until Saturday. This change was made in order that the aid of the school children could be enlisted in tagging the people. Every arrangement is being made to thoroughly cover the town and it is hoped to raise enough money to start the play ground movement off in good shape.

EXCURSION IS ADVERTISED

A force of men were busy on Friday and Saturday putting up posters advertising the Elks excursion, which will be held on the Island Queen May 2nd and 6th.

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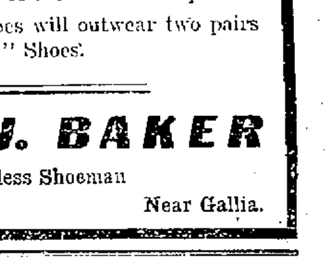

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OLD HIGH SCHOOL IS READY FOR WRECKERS

Every piece of furniture and the last wall decoration has been removed from the old Davis high school building, corner of Gallia and North Waller streets, and the former seat of learning now stands a vast empty shell ready for the razer's chisel.

The building which for seven years has been the scene of much active educational work, teachers' institutes and regular sessions of high school, was purchased with the lot on which it now stands by the board of education in the year 1902. The price paid, according to Dr. P. J. Kline, a member of the board that year, was $9999.01.

Much interesting history is connected with the school's seven years of activity and the passing of the structure which was once called Portsmouth's new high school building, will without doubt call up in the memories of the hundreds of alumni experiences of their happy school days.

The new building which is to be erected upon the site of the old Davis building is to cost the future citizens of Portsmouth a couple of hundred thousand dollars, and if the promises of the present board members and of the teachers enthusiastic over the pleasant prospects, are fulfilled, is to be a source of great help to the youth, an admirable addition to the city's architecture, and in short, a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

It was in 1902 that the high school building on Gallia and Findlay streets was found to be in adequate to the needs of the growing body of students, and the Davis building was then purchased by the board, and with an additional part then erected opened on Thanksgiving Day.

Since that year seven classes of young men and women have graduated from the Davis high school building, composing a band of two hundred or more persons. The office of superintendent of schools, usually associated with the high school because of the location of the office in the school building, has been twice changed since the removal to the Davis building, first being filled by J. I. Hudson and second, by his successor Frank Appel, who still superintends the educational work in the city. Miss Emily Ball was principal of the school until 1905, when Mr. Frank Appel succeeded her. In 1908 Mr. Walter D. Gilliland was appointed by the board of education to fill the capacity of principal taking the position made vacant by Mr. Appel's appointment to the superintendency. The school has prospered steadily from the very beginning and the present conditions have demanded the new building.

In cleaning out of the old Davis building the furniture and refuse gathered during the past years, making ready for the coming of the carpenters many odd articles of antiquity were unearthed and are now held by interested parties as souvenirs of the place and its career.

Chief among these specimens are editions of the "Sibyl," the annual publications of the graduating classes from 1903 on to the present class. In the "Annual" edited by the students of 1903 is an account of the [illegible] the previous quarters and a liberal appraisement of the students' new home. Quoting from the account: "The assembly room has a seating capacity of about two hundred and twenty-five." Evidently, judging from the gist of the entire article, this statement was tainted with slight exaggeration, yet if the estimate of the seating "strength" of the second floor is truly correct, an idea may be drawn as to the situation in that assembly room when in 1908 the seating capacity was almost doubled. It required some skillful use of cider-press methods to cram several hundred pupils in that two-by-four assembly room, but nevertheless the board of education succeeded for a time in attaining their end in view. This year the problem was given up in desperation, and as a result of a city-wide campaign for the issuance of bonds which followed, the death knell of the old Davis high school building was heard.

The old "Sibyls" also contains some interesting accounts of the athletic contests in the old high school days that have gone, and prominent on the pages are the names of Chester Spencer and Albert Bridwell, both of whom are now registered players on the baseball team piloted by Albert McGraw of New York. "Ches" is the subject of many paragraphs. That he and Briddy are not only stars of the national game but former constellations in the local high school's football field is revealed by the fact that "Ches" bore the title of "captain" on the team of 1903, while his fellow Giant held the position of right tackle on the line. "Jim" Clure, half-back on last season's Ohio State University team, played guard on the high school team by the side of Briddy. Hubert Heinisch, catcher on the O. S. U. team last year was the catcher on the high school baseball team of 1903 and is given a generous amount of space in the old "Sibyl."

New Features With 4-Paw Sells Circus

At last novelty has been injected into the riding features of a big circus. Old-time equestrian specialties that for a quarter of a century have been the same old thing year after year, have been wiped off the slate by the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Big United Shows. When this great circus comes to Portsmouth, Thursday, April 28th, it will bring with it a specially selected company of horsemen and horsewomen from the various countries of Europe, retaining only those American riders who are exponents of some peculiar style of horsemanship that has distinguished them from the equestrians of other nations.

England, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, Austria, Belgium, Russia and Norway are represented. The characteristic riding of the various peoples of the earth gives a diversity to the riding features that adds greatly to the attractiveness of the show.

The size of the present organization may best be explained by a few figures. Over 1000 people are employed there are 600 horses, 750 wild animals, a train one mile long and ten acres of tents. The show carries its own doctors, postmaster, lawyers, detectives, electricians and various skilled mechanics, and maintains a hotel, library, hospital and all the various shops found in any city.

Show day will begin with the most elaborate and longest parade ever presented. All of it is fresh from the factories of Europe. The most skilled of foreign artists built it. Their instructions were to reproduce nothing that had ever been seen in circus pageantry before. Naturally the sight presented is a complete change from what the people of America have been used to seeing from their windows and porches on circus day. And no expense having been spared, the spectacle is much more elaborate.

Socialist Column

(By ROBERT BODGE.)

This is an age of social responsibility. Society is responsible for the slums of our great cities, while the great trust magnates are also products of present day civilization. Good people in all walks of life are pondering over the [illegible] "Am I my brother's keeper?" and the church is being stirred over social questions as never before [illegible] [illegible] cial salvation is at the same time the most effective for individual salvation. At the present time there is in session at Pittsburg, Pa., the national conference of the Christian Socialist Fellowship and on Sunday April 24th the pulpits of every Protestant church in that graft-ridden city, will be filled by a socialist minister. This shows the progress that is being made among the churches.

The action of the Chicago Federation of Labor at its meeting last Sunday in declaring by unanimous vote of the delegates for working class politics is but one of the many straws that show the direction of the political breeze in the world of labor. The trade unionists of America are close to the parting of the ways. They have served the political bosses faithfully and well on each recurring election day, only to find that no difference which set of bosses wins, labor always loses. And now while our lawyers and other bosses in the state legislatures and in Congress are splitting hairs in regard to whether women shall be allowed to work in factories to exceed nine hours out of the twenty-four, and all the time they are apparently in blissful ignorance that the common folks back home are getting ready to dump the whole lot. There is no denying the fact that the great mass of the workers are growing uneasy and are beginning to look about for relief from conditions that are fast becoming intolerable. What here is where the socialist gets on the job. He is the only person that knows where he is going and he knows there is only one political road that labor can travel to secure its own and sooner or later it is going to take that road. It is the road to socialism. So socialists keep forever hammering away and do not grow discouraged over temporary defeats.

Will socialists take part in the primary election? No, they will not for the simple reason that our election law will not allow them to do so. But they will have a ticket in the field for the November election and what is of greater importance they will have a platform that will mean something to the workers. Wait for it and vote for something besides simply voting for a lot of men for office. "The Lord helps them who help themselves."

PLANT TO EMYLOY 35 PERSONS

Some pipe fitting remains to be done and accordingly the new Portsmouth cup factory at South Portsmouth will not begin operations until Monday. William Al[illegible] will manage the plant which will give employment to 35 persons [illegible] and will likely run steady throughout the year.

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E. S. H[illegible] of S[illegible], Mich., [illegible] Hurst of Lily are [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] McDermott.

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IN THE EXTENSION COURSE

BY ROBERT C. V. MEYERS.

HAMPTON felt as though he had been "to the end of the world and looked over the wall" as he strode along to his old home. His mother declined to negotiate with him nor would she, apparently, permit her secretary, who had carried on the correspondence, to quote her other than in the most non-committal words.

He was annoyed at the turn of affairs and also that a stranger, a woman, should be appointed to deal with him in a private and painful piece of business.

Perkins, the butler, admitted him when he set in commotion the bell whose button was at the door, but of course Perkins showed nothing in his well-drilled countenance. Ask Perkins for his mother and stand the chance of a probable refusal? His pride refused to do that, and he asked to see Miss Carroll, the secretary.

And now he was here to sue through a stranger for his mother's recognition of his claims upon her—to have a sort of "heart-to-heart talk" with his mother's secretary if his mother refused to see him.

Would his mother see him? If she would only meet him and be reasonable and stop arguments that led to nothing.

He stopped abruptly. In the doorway stood a slight young lady whose brown eyes set upon him, had a twinkle in them.

"Why," he said, "you are Polly Carrol whom I used to see here six or seven years ago. I did not recognize in the 'Mary Lee Carroll' of your notes the little girl I used to romp with."

"I am the same girl," she returned, demurely, "the daughter of Mrs. Hampton's school friend."

He saw that she intended to revive no old friendships with him—that she wished to be merely the business agent of his mother.

"My mother has been informed that I am here?" he asked.

"Mrs. Hampton," she said, "requires me to say that she is not well enough to see you this morning. She has had a bad night."

"Then," he frowned, "I suppose I am to communicate with her through you?"

"Most of your communications have been through me," she answered.

"I am tired of such communications," he retorted. "I refuse to reply any further to letters written by her deputy."

There was nothing to say to this, so she remained silent.

"I presume, then," pursued Hampton, "I am not to see my mother to-day?"

Miss Carrol nodded dryly.

"I have repeated her message to you," she said.

He regarded her darkly.

"Of course," he blurted out, "you know everything about this—er—this argument between my mother and me?"

"Merely in a business capacity," she affirmed.

"Certainly," he responded stiffly. "But even so, you will acknowledge that this matter should have remained strictly between the principals?"

"I have no personal opinion in the matter," she said. "I am only a business agent."

"In other words," he retorted almost brusquely, "it is none of your business—is that it?"

"That's the worst of it," she smiled, "it is *all* my business—I am Mrs. Hampton's secretary."

"And my mother sent no message to me?"

"She asked me to say that if you have any business with her you might communicate with her about it—through me."

"And suppose I refuse to do so?"

"If that is what you wish me to say to her, I will tell her."

Hampton bit his lip. He felt tremendously hurly beside the girl. He smoothed his glove.

"I will not trouble you further," he said. "My mother is well, I presume? I have not seen her for three months."

Miss Carroll's eyes dropped their twinkle for the first time during this interview.

"She is not well, as I informed you," she said. "It is all I can do to keep her from becoming entirely despondent."

"I hope there is no danger," he returned quickly, "of her health going under."

A flush over-spread the secretary's face. "The medicine you administer," she retorted, "is scarcely calculated to build her health up."

Hampton gave her a sharp look.

"Do you mean to tell me," he demanded, "that my mother blames me for her recourse to the polite fiction of 'not feeling well'?"

"There is no fiction in this case," came the reply. "Mrs. Hampton has been in bed nearly a week—she has worried a great deal."

"She never let me know," he said. "Then she holds me accountable and insists that I am opposing her?"

"Any form of opposition distresses Mrs. Hampton," said the secretary, seeming to think she had gone too far.

"It is she who is opposing me," Hampton cried.

"She loves you," said the girl.

"Therefore," he smiled, "she refuses me happiness."

"She thinks the happiness might be secured through other means than those you suggest," she said.

"She would oppose my marriage with anyone," he rejoined. "She is like so many other women with only sons. As soon as she knew I was interested in Miss Ash she put every obstacle in my way."

"She insists that you persist in your attentions to the lady because you know that she objects to them," tentatively observed Miss Carrol.

"Yes," he said, "she calls her a fortune-hunter——" He checked himself. "I should not speak to you like this. I forget that you wish to regard yourself merely as my mother's secretary. As to the rest of it, I am glad that my mother is not alone. I believe you came to her shortly after I left the house—your notes are so dated."

"The following week," she said. "I was here for the University Extension course. I am taking up psychology. I am greatly interested in the action of one will upon another. It is a smattering way of getting knowledge but I am learning a little every day. As I say, I was in the city. I called on Mrs. Hampton, and as I wished to do a little living on my own account, she asked me to stay as her secretary, to look after her bills, write her notes and the like. Is there anything I may say to her for you?"

He took this as tantamount to a dismissal.

"I regret that she is *not well*," he said, "and I accept her physical condition as her reason for not seeing me."

Miss Carroll bowed, and he left the house.

During this time of suspension his visits to Beatrice were scarcely cheerful. The lady plainly showed that she did not relish the position in which she was placed—that of a woman who could not marry until the mother of her fiance gave her consent.

He informed Beatrice that his mother was ill. She vouchsafed a perfunctory "Yes?" and spoke of something else. It hurt him: his mother had hitherto had all his love and duty and never before according to his recollection had she been sick. While he told himself that she could blame herself for that illness, yet something hinted to him that he was not entirely irresponsible.

The next day, however, he went to the house to inquire as to his mother's condition. He had intended to go no further than the door, but when Perkins faced him he felt that even the butler's look would reproach him if he did not go inside.

Miss Carroll entered the hall from another part of the house as he stepped in from the vestibule. In answer to his query she said that there was no good news.

"You do not mean to say that she is *ill?*" he asked.

"Certainly not," she returned crisply. "She is not—happy, and from all I can gather she is not used to unhappiness."

"No," he said with bitterness. "She is accustomed to having her own way. And because I refused any longer to be treated like a child and be told what I should and should not do, she throws the responsibility of her illness upon me."

For a week he heard nothing from his mother. Harassed and fearing that the illness was serious, he one day went to the house. As luck would have it, Miss Carroll was just issuing forth.

"Mrs Hampton will be pleased to know that you came to inquire so soon again," she told him in her formal manner, and added that the invalid was improved.

"And did you," he asked, "deliver my message, that I took her illness as the reason that she could not see me the other day?"

"Oh, yes," she answered.

"And she said?" he queried.

"Really," she said, "I do not see why I should tell you what she said. That was for me, not for you—it was not said in a business sense."

"I take it," he retorted, "that it was not complimentary to me."

"It was equally uncomplimentary to herself," she replied, "if you take it that way."

"I wish you would tell me what it was," he persisted.

"Mr. Hampton," she said, pocketing her brows, "I wish I might be left out of all this. I do not see why you should take it for granted that I have any interest in it. I presume a mother has the right to call her son a donkey, but the reflex action of the accusation is not complimentary to the mother herself."

Was she laughing at him? He looked down at her. Her face was soft and pink, and her eyes directed straight in front of her.

"I feel that I *am* a donkey," he said. "But everything seems to be so confused. My mother is a great deal to me, and yet she grieves Miss Ash."

"Miss Ash certainly has cause to feel aggrieved," she assented.

He caught at that.

"Thank you," he said. "Thank you."

She glanced up at him.

"Yes," she said, "I express a personal opinion. I never was a secretary before, and I am only slowly losing my identity. That is the way some people make haste slowly."

"Besides we have known each other a long time," he said. "She was the only one in all this miserable affair who seemed to have any sympathy for him.

"When I was a gawky child," she laughed, "you used to throw me up in the air to show me how strong college athletics had made you. Sometimes you bumped me against things."

"You remember those times?" he asked, pleased. "Do you?"

"Quite distinctly," she answered. "My anatomy has not been so frequently imperiled that I should forget them."

Hampton had a long think that day, and once or twice he banged a door. That evening he informed Miss Ash that he intended to go into business.

She laughed.

"What can a man do," she asked, "who has been trained to a life of golf and yachting? How is your mother?"

He told her that his mother was better.

"You have been there again?" she asked.

"I met her secretary this morning," he answered.

"You did not tell me that Mrs. Hampton employed a secretary," she said. "I think I might be told a few things now and then."

Hampton sighed desperately.

"After I left the house," he explained, "I suppose she had to get some one to look after things I used to attend to for her. She has known the young lady a long while, and——"

"Oh," Beatrice said coldly, "so it is a young lady? I suppose you have known her a long while, too. What is she like?"

He told her about Polly Carrol, and how he had seen her a couple of times since she had been in his mother's employ.

"And she sympathizes with you," he ended. "It is because she thinks my position ridiculous that I mean to get something to do."

He saw his mistake as soon as the words had left his lips.

"Arthur," she said, "the position is ridiculous. We cannot go on like this. Your mother is treating me abominably. For what does she take me? You should induce her to receive me if you have any affection for me. People must no longer agree with her that I threw myself at your head. You know that Charley Rex was almost engaged to me when you interfered and—no, I don't mean to accuse you of anything mean, I never do. Only, Charley Rex called on me to-day, and I could see that he, too, sympathizes with me. You should see your mother, not her secretary, and explain matters to her in no equivocal terms. Write to her tonight. Tell her that you must see her to-morrow—you owe that much to me," and her fan broke in her hand.

Hampton went to the club and wrote the letter, and sent it by a messenger.

The following afternoon he went to his mother's house. He was expected, and instead of ushering him into the drawing-room Perkins told him that his mother was up in her dressing-room.

"You know the way, Mr. Arthur," the old fellow said genially.

Hampton went slowly up the scarlet steps. The passage through the home impressed him—it was his old home, everything was so familiar and restful after these months of feverish disquietude.

The door of his mother's dressing-room was open. A faded face was directed his way, expectant, wistful.

"Arthur!"

He went to her, holding out his hand. Instead of the old pride and haughtiness, she was trembling and weak. She drew his head down to her and kissed him.

And he had come to upbraid her!

She seemed to mistake the expression on his face for one of shock at the change in her appearance.

"Never mind," she said, "I shall soon be well again now. I look worse than usual to-day because I have had one of my battles with Polly Carrol. Ah there is a quick-tempered girl for you! She forced me to receive you, she has forced me to see that you still have a lingering feeling for me. She tried to force me to see—some other things," he knew that she referred to Beatrice. "At any rate, she has forced me to see that I was wrong in bringing you up as I have done, and says that I ought to thank Providence that you have not gone to the dogs with such a training. My lawyers were with me this morning; they agree that you are not too old to read law, if you care to do so. As it is, I will allow you three thousand a year."

"And Miss Carrol is responsible for this?" he demanded.

"All except the amount of your allowance," answered his mother. "She refused to discuss that—she said it was none of her business. But you are not to live at home again. Polly has made me see that I must not expect that until I receive Miss Ash."

"Which you will do?" he took her up. "That is why I am here to-day."

She shook her head.

"You must not expect too much at once," she told him. "I take back any unkind remarks I may have made derogative of the young lady, but you must not ask everything at once."

"And so," he retorted, "I have to thank Miss Carrol for all that has come about?" He laughed.

He went to Beatrice. Naturally, he did not refer to the secretary's part in the new arrangement.

"You to read law!" laughed Beatrice. "Nonsense. I will not have it—there is no necessity for you to act like a poor woman's son and work every day for your living. And three thousand a year? What will that do? You must see your mother again and have the amount doubled, at least."

"I will do nothing of the sort," he replied. "You do not know my mother, and what these concessions have cost her pride. Besides, I am not a beggar."

"I fear," she said, "this might degenerate into a vulgar quarrel if we keep on. Suppose you leave me now and think it over."

He did so. But he concluded that his mother had given in sufficiently, and that he could not debase himself by making undue demands upon her generosity.

In the evening he told Miss Ash as much. She slipped a hoop of brilliants from her finger.

"You do not mean it," he said. She held the hoop toward him.

"No," he said. "I will not take it. I will ask you what you asked me to do this morning—I will leave you and let you think it over."

He went to the club. The first man he saw there was Charley Rex. He thought he detected a covert smile on the man's face. Rex knew why he had not ratified his engagement with Beatrice. Had it been because Rex had opposed him that he had determined to win Beatrice? Had it been that, as much as the opposition of his mother?

In the morning, after a sleepless night, he went to Beatrice's home, only to receive a message that she could not see him. At that, in opposition to her expressed wish, he went to his mother's lawyers, and made arrangements for his reading law. He felt guilty that he did not feel more unhappy over Beatrice's treatment of him.

He turned his steps in the direction of his mother's house. But when he had pressed the button at the door he wondered if he might not to go to Beatrice and express at least polite sorrow at her decision. But Perkins opened the door and he asked for Miss Carrol—fought he to disturb his mother first of all with his news?—and passed into the drawing-room.

"What have you been doing to yourself?" were Miss Carrol's first words, when she reached him.

"I have taken to the law," he laughed, and told of his determination to read.

"It will be of service to your mother's estate," she said, uninterestedly, "to have you grounded in the law."

He was standing directly under his portrait on the wall. She looked from the portrait to him.

"I remember you like that—" she began, and then stopped. "Why did you ask for me?" she burst out, angrily. "You knew your mother would be glad to see you."

"My mother would have been sure to find out the truth," he returned—"that Miss Ash has broken with me."

She gave a little gasp and seemed to shrink away from him. Then she called herself to order and he told her the story.

"She had much to irritate her," she said at the end of the narration. "What between you and your mother, she has been very much tried. Perhaps," she added, suited in all my life before. I will never wear your ring again. And now I must end this interview—Mr. Rex is in the library, and has been left alone too long as it is."

He was ashamed, bitterly ashamed, of the way things had turned out. Still, there was one woman who would not see him as the other two women did, and it was the woman he had treated the worst of all—his mother.

Miss Carrel was in the dressing-room with her employer when he got there.

"Mother," he said, "if you'll have me, I shall live here now." Then he held up the ring. "I have just come from Beatrice."

The secretary glided from the room. She knew that he stayed with his mother for hours. She waited till she heard them separate for the night. Then she went down to her mother's old school friend.

"I am going home," she said rapidly. "I do not wish to stay here any longer."

The other woman regarded her fixedly.

"Is it because you love him, Polly?" she asked, gently.

"How dare you!" Miss Carrol cried out. "How dare you! You have not been fair with me. In my conceit, I thought you gave in to me. You knew what I was studying, and my interest in the action of one will upon another. Then I thought of your son in the same connection—and a like idea led me to wish to see Miss Ash, who I thought must be a good subject—she had conquered you and your son so effectually. But all the time you were playing against Miss Ash. It was not kind."

"Well?" calmly said the other. "Well?"

"I meant only for the best," sobbed the girl. "It was all because of my stupid psychology studies. As for him, I have only contempt for a man who—"

"Stop!" said Mrs. Hampton. "Success in your studies seems to affect you oddly.

Polly's spirit rose.

"You are quite mistaken," she said, with spirit. "I have been made a victim of psychology alone—psychology did it all, and——"

"I am very fond of you," said the grim old lady, quite gently. "I thought it my duty to tell you how matters stand—I want you to have that advantage over Arthur. For I give you my word of honor that he shall never know a bit of this through me."

"I am going home," said Miss Carrol. "Now that the Extension lectures are over, there is no reason why I should remain. I am going home." Her cheeks were pink and her eyes very bright.

Hampton, forgetting a last word he had for his mother, returned to the room at this moment, and Miss Carrol, with a catch in her voice, bade his mother good-night, and walked past him out of the room with her head in the air.

"Before I came in" he said, "didn't I hear her say

"I was never so insulted in my life before."

"I do not wish to stay here any longer."

thoughtfully, "it is as well that you do not see your mother to-day. Come to morrow."

"Yes," he replied, "maybe that would be better."

Toward evening he took the packet containing the ring and went once more to Beatrice's house.

This time she saw him.

"I fancy," she said, "that Miss Carrel has told you that I would see you."

"Miss Carrel!" he repeated lost.

"Do you mean to tell me," Beatrice demanded, "that you have not seen her?"

"I saw her this morning," he answered, "certainly."

"Yes," she retorted, "you went to her as soon as you could after receiving your ring. You told everything. When you left it appears that she had an interview with your mother, who is good enough to say that she will double the income which she has promised you—apparently because you informed Miss Carrel that I had suggested such an increase. Armed with this fortifying intelligence, the young lady called on me. For so level-headed a girl as she seems to be, this was rather idiotic. Think of it! I never was so insulted in my life before. I will never wear your something about going home?"

"Certainly not," replied his mother; "she is not going home—I haven't lived all these years not to know women. She has these little irritable spells. It is her psychology. She is not cut out for a scientist. Now, dear, I want you to put all that is unpleasant behind you, and to think only of a happy future. Sit here and let me hold your hand, and talk to me about the law. Isn't it like old times to sit like this?"

Hampton sat down and gently took his mother's hand. He talked to her about a man's life and a man's work; of the need of using the ability one had and of refusing to accept the fiat of fate which made a man an idler, just as a man should refuse to allow fate to make him a beggar or a slave. And, somehow or other, at the same time he was wondering if his mother would be able to keep Polly Carrol from going home, now that the Extension lectures were over. He hoped so.

"Because," he said in answer to his mother, who asked him why he was so thoughtful, "I want to do a little living on my own account."

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NEXT WEEK: "AUNT OLIVIA'S BEAU." By L. M. MONTGOMERY

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sermons And Services At The Various Churches.

Ministerial Association.

The ministers of Portsmouth and vicinity will meet as usual on Monday morning at 9:30 at the United Brethren church. The order of the day will be a paper by Rev. Dr. J. N. Eason, after which the usual general discussion by the members of the association.

FREEMAN W. CHASE, Secretary.

All Saints Episcopal
Court and Fourth Sts.
Rev. J. D. Herron—Rector.

Findlay St. M. E. Church.

Fourth Sunday after Easter. Holy Communion at 7. Matins and sermon at 10:30, subject "How to be Good." No service in the evening. Service of music Te Deum, Custance in B flat, solo obligato by Miss Terry. Offertory anthem "Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem." Mater. Solos by Miss Terry.

Bigelow, M. E. Church.
Washington and Fifth Sts.
Jas. N. Eason, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m., E. H. Clare, Supt. Public worship with sermon at 10:30, sermon topic "Sacred Ties." Junior league at 2:30. Mrs. Eason, Supt. Epworth League devotional service in upper chapel at six o'clock, Charles Bennett, pres. Class meeting at 6 in lower chapel. Mrs. Ruel, leader. There will be no preaching service at 7 o'clock on account of the union service to be held at Trinity church. All the members of our church and congregation are urged to attend the Sabbath school at morning preaching service. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at seven o'clock.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal.
Corner Gallia and Offnere Sts.
Rev. W. C. Hartinger, Pastor.

9 a. m., Sunday school, W. B. Anderson, Supt. We expect a great school tomorrow. Remember it is the day for our great missionary offering. We expect to break our record. 10:30 a. m., public worship, sermon subject "Christ's Triumphal Procession." 2 p. m., Junior League. 6 p. m., Epworth League. An address by Prof. W. D. Gilliland, subject "South America." 7:30 p. m., a great mass meeting of all the churches. Address by Hon. J. Rice, ex-mayor of Canton, Ohio. Subject "Social Parasites." Music by a great choir made of the combined choirs of the city. All seats free. Seating for 1800. If necessary there is room in the basement for an overflow meeting of 600. Everybody welcome.

Manly M. E. Church.
Corner Eleventh and Clay Streets
J. W. Atkinson, Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m., Philip Pfarr, Supt. Sermon by the pastor at 10 a. m. Intermediate league at 1:30 p. m., Ethel Dodds, Supt. Junior League at 1:30 p. m., Ella Ressinger and Mrs. Rideout, Supts. Epworth League devotional service at 6 p. m., subject, "God's Tender Mercies Toward All This Creature" by Shultz, leader. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7. The Epworth League will meet this evening at the Dodds home on Lincoln street. Don't fail to be present at the morning service to hear about our new church. The evening services at this church tomorrow will be abandoned on account of the great local option rally at Trinity church.

German M. E. Church.
Cor. Fourth and Washington Sts.
Otto Giesen, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., F. L. Marting, Supt. Every member of the school is urged to be present at this session. At 10 a. m. the pastor will preach on "The Gospel of Christ." All who understand the German language are requested to hear this sermon. In the evening this congregation will meet with the other churches of the city in a mass meeting at Trinity church at 7:30. Hon. Rice will speak in the interest of Christian citizenship. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 o'clock. All who read this notice are invited to these meetings.

PRESBYTERIAN
First
Corner Third and Court streets.
John W. Dunning—Pastor.

Bible school at 9 a. m., Geo. D. Scudder, Supt. Let every scholar be in his place Sunday and win the "Brought One" club by inviting a friend. Morning worship at 10:30. There will be a reception of members and celebration of the Lord's Supper. All members of the church urged to be present. There will be no evening service, the congregation uniting in the union meeting at Trinity church. Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock, meeting in charge of mission committee. Junior C. E. at two o'clock. Work on the new building is now progressing rapidly. The walls are being started and the building will soon begin to take form. See the church bulletin for the week's announcements.

The Second Presbyterian
Eighth and Waller.
Charles S. Robertson—Pastor.

Bible school at 9, W. W. Gates, Jr., Supt. The call has been sent out by the superintendent for the largest attendance yet on this last Sunday in the old church and the figure he has set is 900. Every one who has ever attended the school is especially invited to these closing services. A farewell service at 10:30 under the direction of the committee, Mr. Irving Drew, Mr. R. E. Mitchell and Mrs. Edgar F. Draper. Mrs. Draper has written a hymn for the occasion, all the charter members are to attend in a body, one of the first officers, now of a sister church, is to give reminiscences and there will be a musical program adapted to the occasion and many other items appropriate for the hour. Every member and friend of the congregation is invited to this closing service in the old church so dear through long association. In the evening at 7 o'clock, our congregation will go to Trinity church to join in the great mass meeting. Installation of recently elected officers at the morning service.

Central Presbyterian Church,
S. D. Conger, Pastor.

A big day at the Central church at both Sunday school and church. Swell the Sunday school, Mr. J. B. Heid, Supt. At the church service there is to be a number of accessions. In the evening the church will unite with the other churches in the union service held at the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church.

United Brethren Church.
Corner Seventh and Gay Sts.
W. H. Howard, Pastor.

Let us make this another good day. May the young and the old and the babies all attend the Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30, subject "Things New and Old." There will be no preaching services in the evening but the congregation will meet in union services at the Trinity M. E. church. Jr. Y. P. C. E. at 2 p. m. Sen. Y. P. C. E. at 6 p. m. General prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 p. m.

Grandview and Robinson Aves.
A. Preston Gray—Pastor.

At 9 a. m. we hope to see every teacher and pupil present in our Bible school. All others who are not enlisted elsewhere are cordially invited with us. There will be preaching at 10:30 a. m., the subject will be "The Doctrine of Sin." Junior C. E. at 2:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Preaching at 7:15 p. m., subject "God Almighty in the Hands of a Man." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15 p. m., Mr. Albert Buckley, leader. Do you enjoy a simple but enthusiastic gospel meeting where the burden of the service is to deliver God's message to his people, a service where God's words proves before our very eyes that it is His power unto salvation, where not only by praying "Our Father," but by such spirit of friendliness you are made to feel that you are one of a great big family? A hint to the wise is sufficient.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.
Freeman W. Chase, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 1:30 and 6:15 p. m. Next Friday night the Missionary Society will give an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Sprouse, 361 Highland avenue.

New Boston Baptists.

The Sunday school opens at 9. Make an effort to be present. The preaching at 10:30 by the pastor, subject "Mary and Martha." The evening service will be in charge of Bro. Heid, superintendent of the Central Presbyterian Sunday school. Don't miss that service. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7. The prayer meeting is the test of church life. Remember the life of the church depends upon you.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
The Auditorium, Cor. Gallia and North Waller.

The very successful evangelistic meetings being conducted by Evangelist Manley Wilson and his singer, J. F. Deck, will come to a close Sunday night. About 75 have professed conversion. Twenty-six will be baptized this afternoon, and many more will be baptized later. The meetings have been largely attended, and the church has received a great uplift. Many are the words of commendation regarding the ability, and efficient services rendered by these evangelists. It is a pity that thousands instead of hundreds could not have heard these noted evangelists each evening. Those who have stayed away, have done so at their own personal loss. Sunday will be the climax to the series of meetings held. At 9 a. m. the evangelist will give a talk to the Sunday school on the subject "A Throne for a Plate of Soup." At 10:15 the subject will be "The Language of Tears." At 2:30 p. m., Mr. Wilson will deliver his popular lecture on the subject "Choosing a Wife or Husband, and Our Duty to Each Other After Marriage." Mr. Wilson is at his best in this lecture and holds his hearers from start to finish. He sways his audience from laughter to tears at will. At 7:15 will be Mr. Wilson's last sermon here. He will take as his subject "Some Dead Young Men and Women in Portsmouth." At the three services, special thank offerings will be received for the evangelists. The young people's society will meet at 6:15 as usual.

First Christian Church
Corner Third and Gay.
Edgar James Meacham, Pastor

Bible school meets at 9 o'clock. On tomorrow several more pictures will be presented to the Sunday school and hung in position. The pupils will find some new and helpful class room arrangements on tomorrow. All are urged to work together to make tomorrow a great day. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at six o'clock, Miss Bertha Bridwell is leader. There will be no evening preaching service on account of the union service in Trinity church. The great concert to be given by the Peerless City Band will occur on next Monday night under the auspices of the Brotherhood class.

Kendall Avenue Baptist.
F. A. Maier, pastor, 1320 Offnere
Lee Warnock, S. S. Supt.

The hour for Sunday school is at 9. A large attendance is expected. Let all the members enrolled make an effort to be present. Others not attending elsewhere are invited. We have classes for all ages. At 2 p. m. the ordinance of batpism will be administered at the Free Baptist church on Hutchens street. In the evening the pastor will speak. Theme "A Record Which You Have Written." The hand of church fellowship will be given to the new members. The prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7. A welcome is extended to all of the services.

Has Changed Positions

Otto Freise, who with his family is visiting his father-in-law, Frank Trende, has given up his position at Richmond, Va., for a better one at Cleveland, O., and is now on his way to the Forest City.

Get your clothes at Haas'.

The epidemic of measles in Lower Nile township is reported about ended. All of the victims are now convalescing.

Fine Concert To Be Given Monday Night

The concert to be given in the First Christian church on Monday evening, April 25th, promises to be a magnificent affair. The band boys will appear for the first time in their nobby new uniforms. Several new instruments will be used, and a first class harpist of Cincinnati will have a special part. There will be 25 pieces in the band. This company of splendid musicians has been trained and is being led by Signor Mastrapolo who is a master musician. He obtained his musical education in Rome, Italy and in the College of Music, Cincinnati. For two years he has lived in Portsmouth and has built up a splendid college of music, now located on East Eleventh street. High class music will be furnished at the concert on next Monday night. Following is the program:

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March ..... Band
Glow Worm Idil ..... Band
Overture and march ..... Band

Is Going to California

M. O. Wilson, who recently disposed of his interests in the Vanceburg Sun was here Friday. He expects to leave for California next week where he will locate.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Givens and Lyon Givens and wife were up from Lower Nile township on a shopping expedition Friday.

Adolph Giesler, Jr., and wife have returned from a shopping expedition to Cincinnati.

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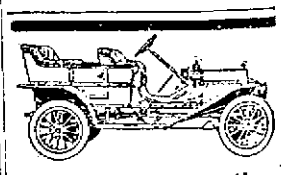

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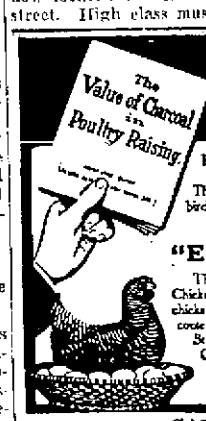

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Orpheum Theater.

Next week, first half, will be a good bill. Today we say nothing but watch Monday's papers. We shall spring something. Can you guess. No? Well, don't forget to look over our ad in Monday's papers. That's all.

May Stay On.

After it had practically been decided that the Grand Stock Co. could not remain here this summer W. H. Starkey made the announcement Friday night that a proposition to remain all summer had been submitted to him and he would decide Saturday night.

"It is a question of money with us," said Starkey.

The production of "Sapho" on Friday night was most pleasing and was one of the best shows of the month. While the story of the play is repulsive, yet the plot is strong and the situations interesting.

W. H. Starkey gave a striking characterization of Jean Gaussin and Miss Hazel Carleton was very fine as Sapho.

The past week at the Grand has been the inauguration of a spring season of repertoire, and probably it will not be the last although Manager Hickey has not as yet definitely decided to have a regular spring stock company season, it is almost certain that next spring will usher in three weeks' season of repertoire of standard plays rendered by a competent company.

Manager Starkey of the Grand Stock Company, and Manager Hickey unable to get together on the summer stock company proposition that the proposed deal has fallen through. The Grand Stock Company closes its engagement in Portsmouth, Saturday night.

The local vaudeville houses had little show out of the ordinary during the past week. Vaudeville in general was uniformly good, and the shows were poor.

Geo. W. Englebreth, who is manager of the Columbia Theatre, at Coney Island, was in Portsmouth Thursday in the interests of the Island Queen excursion, which is to be held under the auspices of the local Elks for free Kindergarten schools for Portsmouth children. Englebreth is a first rate fellow, and is working hard to make the excursion a success.

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Manager Carroll, of the Pastime Theatre, has arranged for a great series of moving pictures to be given at the Pastime April 25, 26, and 27, both afternoon and evening. They are the first and only authorized motion pictures of the United States Military Tournament which was held at Toledo, O., from July 5th to July 10th in 1909. Over 3000 feet of film will be used, and over 3000 soldiers will be depicted in action.

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Carlotta Nilsson has brought suit against Walter N. Lawrence and the John Cort company for an accounting of the profits of "The Man on the Box," since Aug. 2, 1905, declaring that she owns a half interest in the play. She says the defendants have been receiving large returns from it and wants them enjoined from producing it until they settle.

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David Belasco, last week, closed negotiations for the producing rights in all English speaking countries for "Das Konzert," a three act comedy by Herman Bahr, which has met with success in the principal cities of Germany. The English version will be made by Leo Ditrichstein, and the play will be produced in New York next season by Mr. Belasco, who is to organize a special company.

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One result of A. L. Erlanger's flying trip to London last week culminated in an arrangement being entered into between himself, Charles Frohman and Henry W. Savage, whereby New York, Boston, Chicago and Philadelphia will each possess a theatre set apart entirely for European plays with European players.

In an interview Mr. Erlanger stated that the scheme would give foreign plays and actors an opportunity not heretofore afforded them, and from every point of view these astute managers agreed that the scheme promised excellent results, both from an artistic and business standpoint.

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Henrietta Crosman, who was to have appeared in the Broadway Theatre, Brooklyn, this week, in "Sham," will take a week's rest, and the attraction at that playhouse will be, "Where There's a Will," one of the productions of her husband and manager, Maurice Campbell.

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Ann Arbor, Mich, has had more stars play there than the majority of one night stands in the United States. During the season Robt. Edeson, Charley Grapewin, Grace George, Lillian Russell, David Warfield, Margaret Anglin, Elsie Janis, Grace Van Studdiford, De Wolf Hopper, Mrs. Leslie Carter, Henrietta Crosman, Billie Burke, Norman Hackett, Chas. J. Ross, Thos Bowen, Frank L. McIntyre, Marie Cahill, Richard Carle, Sam Bernard, George Evans, A. G. Field.

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Anna Held said last week that she expects to retire from the stage after the performance Saturday night, April 23. She said that she has given up so many years of life to the stage that she wants a little rest and a little fun.

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Antonio Bagarozza, the importer of grand opera singers, has entered into an arrangement with Messrs Milton and Sargent Aborn whereby he will engage foreign artists for the various Aborn grand opera companies, and will also contract with American artists, under the Aborn management, to go to Europe during the Winter to sing in Italy, France and Germany. This year Sig. Bagarozza brings five Italian tenors to the Aborn forces—Eugenio Battain, Domenico Russo, Luigi Cilia, Umberto Sacchetti and Alfred Sappio. He has secured contracts abroad for Paul Bleyden, tenor; Estelle Wentworth and Lois Ewell, sopranos; Bertha Sholek, mezzo-soprano; and Fritzi von Busing, contralto.

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Last week contracts were signed between the Shuberts and Daniel V. Arthur whereby the latter will transfer the bookings of his attractions from the "syndicate" to the Shuberts. Mr. Arthur manages Marie Cahill, who has been presenting "The Boys and Betty," and De Wolf Hopper, in "A Matinee Idol." Mr. Arthur will signalize his alliance with the Shuberts by presenting Hopper at Daly's Theatre beginning April 28.

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Maude Raymond has signed to sing one of the principal roles in "The Comic Supplement," which Frederick Thompson is to produce this Summer on the New Amsterdam Theatre Roof, New York City.

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Oscar Hammerstein sailed April 6, on the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, for an indefinite stay in Europe. He intends to visit St. Petersburg, Algiers and Constantinople before he returns.

Mr. Hammerstein said: "The great lesson I have learned from the past season is that in order to give opera one must concentrate. No more preliminary seasons, no more road tours, no more operetta seasons. Next year I shall spend all my energies and all my ingenuities on my one company. While I am abroad I shall visit several countries in search of new singers."

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The Aborn Grand English Opera Co., after a disastrous fortnight at the Walnut Street, in Cincinnati, spent one week there, moved on to Grand Rapids for three days, and later begins an engagement in Milwaukee.

The company was good, but Cincinnati has proved that old operas, even at popular prices, are not wanted at this time in that city.

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Corse Payton last week signed a three months' lease of the Academy of Music, New York City.

Mr. Payton is taking the house from the hands of the present lessees for the Summer months only, beginning June 1. At least, that is his intention at present, although if his Summer business justifies it he will probably remain there much longer.

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William A. Brady has gone over to the Shubert camp. His attractions will come in to the West End Theatre, in Harlem, at the ending of the present week's engagement of Blanche Bates at that house, keeping that house in the ranks of the legitimate playhouses longer than was originally intended.

The addition of Brady's list of attractions to the Shubert offerings, enables the West End to remain open for a while longer this Spring. It was intended to turn the house over to moving pictures next week, but this plan is now changed.

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Dorothy Russell, daughter of Lillian Russell, is again married. She and Dunsmuir Dunsmuir, a nonprofessional, were wedded in Paris, France, April 5.

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Henry W. Savage lost his suit in the United States Court in Cincinnati, to enjoin the German Stock Co. from presenting "The Merry Widow" in German.

Manager Greetler, with Mabel Bouton, Elizabetr Goodall and other members of "The Time, The Place and the Girl" company, went out to the Refuge Home during their Cincinnati engagement, and entertained the little folks there in splendid fashion.

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Louise Dresser has been engaged by Daniel V. Arthur for the chief support of De Wolf Hopper, in "The Matinee Idol," which will be presented at Daly's Theatre, New York City, on Thursday, April 28.

LORBERG TO OPEN POSTCARD STORE

The souvenir post card was introduced in Portsmouth more than 10 years ago by H. A. Lorberg, who has published within that time more than 1000 subjects. He has arranged to open a retail card store, having secured the room adjoining the Singer sewing machine store, No. 315 1-2 Chillicothe street, and hopes to open for business on May 1. In addition to a full line of new cards he will carry birthday, good wishes and season cards of every description from the cheapest to the best. His entire stock will be new, clean and up to date, the variety such as to please all tastes. Mr. Lorberg is deserving, is entitled to a large share of the public patronage and his friends are urged to call and see his and his stock.

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No. 29—The Girl at the Ball Game.

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BY BOBBIE BARBLE.

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I've got a nice new picture hat,
Three feet across, and matching that
A dainty gown of palest blue,
A parasol the self same hue,
So on the bleachers I won't tan,
When learning how to be a Fan!

"My poor, tormented brain just squirms
In learning all the baseball terms.
What do they mean by circus play?
Just how I heard one young man say
'He nipped the runner!' They're so queer,
The weird and woolly things you hear
From littlest boy to biggest man,
When one tries hard to be a Fan!

"I like this pitcher best of all
Because he has a nice new ball
As white as snow. Well, I must say
I'd like that kind, were I to play.
My! What an awful burst of sound!
Why does that chap scrape on the ground?
He'll hurt himself, the poor dear man—
It's not such fun to be a Fan!

"Now that's a thing I do not like!
I heard the Umpire call a strike;
That stupid batter heard him bawl
And yet he didn't strike at all!
Why does he have a bat to hold
Unless he does just what he's told?

He's nothing but an Also-Ran!
Oh, ain't it hard to be a Fan?

"Why are they yelling? Say, what's wrong?
Now every one breaks into song!
What's happening now? See that man,
I think he'll get a touch of sun:
Now hear that player's maddened shout—
He gets an inning—so he's out!
I wonder if I ever can
Learn half enough to be a Fan?"

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Legislature Is Now On The Home Stretch, To Finish Up Friday

Columbus, April 23.—The legislature is coming down the home stretch but is not breaking any speed records. An effort will be made to finish up the work of the session by next Friday and then take an adjournment until May 10th when the members will return and quit for good. Morning and afternoon sessions will be held next week so that a get-away can be made as planned.

The lobbyists are fighting to stave off action on the Langdon tax commission and the Woods public utilities bills which are pending in the senate. The Woods bill is disliked because it seeks to prevent service corporations from charging excessive rates and also from watering their stock. The Langdon bill is unpopular with these corporations because it extends the Nichols property tax law to all public service corporations. It makes them pay taxes on the market value of their holdings. The lobbyists are trying to get this provision of the bill cut out.

Next week will see the state capital swarming with lobbyists. The county officers will be here enmasse to try to force through the Lawyer bill extending their terms. This passed the senate and is now on the house calendar. It will be taken up out of its regular order and if possible passed. This will put the measure before Governor Harmon. The general belief is that he will veto the bill. The county officers who will be up for re-election, it is understood have been assessed heavily to maintain the lobby that is here working for the bill.

The question of whether or not the lobby that is here working for the bill.

The question of whether or not breweries may sell liquor in dry territory in quantities of a gallon or more is raised in a case styled Walter Schen against Ohio, filed in the supreme court from Tuscarawas county. The constitutionality of the Rose law is also attacked. The lower courts upheld the law and also held that such sales could not be made. The plaintiff who is manager of a brewery, was indicted for selling a case of beer, which was held to be a violation of the local option law. Schen contended that the sale of liquor by the case was not a sale "as a beverage" and that hence it was not prohibited by the local option law. The man who bought the case probably wanted it for bathing purposes. The decision will clear up the question of whether a brewery may make sales in dry territory and also what is meant "as a beverage."

An attempt will be made to secure the introduction of the Kempel non-partisan judiciary bill in the house on Monday. The plan is to have it taken up under suspension of rules and passed and then hustled over to the senate. There are too many lawyers in the upper branch to let the bill get through. All the lawyer members there are not against it. Senator Duvall, a lawyer, is one of the champions of the bill. The bill was killed by a trick in the senate last Monday evening.

The Governor's veto of the Sunday base ball bill will not stop the game in Columbus. Mayor Marshall, elected on a reform platform, says that he will not prohibit Sunday base ball just so long as it is played under restriction of good order. He says that his attitude on this question is not altered by the Governor's decision.

The state board of health has arranged to take up with the state blind commission the question of supplying the physicians of the state with silver nitrate solution for use in preventing infantile blindness. If this remedy is applied to the eyes of babies soon after birth most of the blindness will be prevented.

The agitation against the fertilizer companies who have been defrauding farmers by selling them spurious products is having an effect for good. Examination of 49 brands of fertilizer by the state chemist shows each to be above the legal standard. This is the first time anything like this has occurred. Usually the product would be found below the standard.

Constable John Nau will sell a Singer sewing machine at Squire Hall's office April 28th to satisfy a claim of H. T. Hatton against Sam and McCoy Short.

Finances Are In Good Shape

Manager Haley of the New Minister Co., says that its all a mistake about the troupe having financial difficulties. According to Haley, two members of the company were so badly scared when they heard about the financial trouble, that they could not be induced to rehearse Thursday night.

The company will go to Ironton next Tuesday night and show the natives what a real show is like.

Mrs. Val Minch Is Quite Sick

Mrs. Val Minch, wife of a well known public school janitor, and who has been very ill at their home on West Eighth street, was reported sinking Saturday. It was feared she would not survive the day.

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Complains to The Police

J. D. Turner, a private watchman, complained to the police authorities Saturday that some third floor employees of the Excelsior shoe factory shouted names at persons passing on the opposite side of the street.

Div. Engineer W. J. Trench of the B. & O. S.-W., was here from Chillicothe Friday inspecting the company's local improvements.

Young Men Arrested

Charles Watson and Jim Kennell, two young Kentuckians, were locked up Friday night and held for investigation.

Peculiar moves of the pair had aroused the suspicions of Mrs. Evaline B. Hunter, proprietress of the White Bear hotel, that they were preparing to jump board bills. They had given up their jobs at the steel plant and, though they each owed her nine dollars, they had made no sign of settling with her. During the evening they smuggled their clothes and other belongings from their room, but returned to spend the night. It was found that they had taken their effects to the Biggs house where they left word that they would call for them Saturday noon. That convinced Officer Duplain that the two were planning to get across the river at the first opportunity, and they were arrested upon Mrs. Hunter's assurance that she would appear against them Saturday morning.

Mrs. Anna Cassidy, who formerly operated the White Bear hotel, also put in claims against the men Saturday. She said they owed her $2.50 each. Mayor Searry ordered an investigation made as to how much money the men had due them from the steel company, and that if they gave orders for their time in settlement of the board bills that they be released. The men when arrested had a new suit case bought at the Brown installment house and which had not been fully paid for.

Pleasant Trip To Germany

Godfrey Naas, a well known Otway citizen, who is now visiting his native country, Germany, writes that he had a very pleasant voyage. He scarcely recognized his old home, Oberhoffen, for, since he left it 30 years ago, it had grown from a village to a fairly good sized town. Mr. Naas is enjoying his visit immensely and may not return until fall.

E. E. Capehart, the C. & O. baggagemaster at South Portsmouth, is able to be up and about again after a ten days' illness.

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Small Boy Wanders Away

Master Joe, a young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Switalski, wandered away from the home of his grandparents, Al Rudity and wife, Friday afternoon and got lost. After a half hour's vigorous search the tot was found strolling along Gallia street some squares away from home.

Becoming hats at Schwartz's.

Old Friend Dead.

George Sommer was on Friday apprised of the death in Louisville of Col. Morris B. Belknap, a prominent hardware manufacturer. Mr. Sommer met the colonel at a Dayton convention a few years ago.

W. F. Bradford of the Jno. Church Co., has sold a fine piano to Miss Annie Weber of Sixteenth street.

Haas' cash Steel plant checks.

Degree Team to Go To Ironton

The degree team of Portsmouth council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will attend a district meeting to be held at Ironton, Wednesday, May 4th.

Kaps Bros. began laying brick on the new First Presbyterian church addition Friday.

SIDELIGHTS ALONG WASHINGTON BYWAYS.

Washington, D. C., April 23.—There is nothing that gets on the nerves of Representatives Sereno E. Payne, Boor leader in the House, quite so much as to be placed in a position where he has to accept time to make a speech at the hands of a democrat. On the other hand, it would be difficult to imagine anything which would give greater pleasure to Representative John J. Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, than to be in control of a parliamentary situation where the republican leaders must appeal to him for a few minutes to express their views.

Mr. Payne endeavored to be recognized by Speaker Cannon recently to submit some observations about Mr. Fitzgerald's resolution to investigate the sugar frauds in New York. Mr. Fitzgerald controlled the floor and insisted that he was going to keep it, and if Mr. Payne wanted to make a speech he (Mr. Fitzgerald) would be very glad to yield him a few moments.

"I want to be recognized in my own right," shouted Mr. Payne, not relishing the situation in which he found himself.

"But the gentleman from New York, Mr. Fitzgerald, has the floor," replied the Speaker.

Mr. Payne fumed and fussed, started to sit down and then changed his mind. He wanted to talk about the Fitzgerald resolution, but he did not want to ask him for time.

"How much time does the gentleman want?" inquired Mr. Fitzgerald patronizingly.

"I think I am entitled to the floor in my own right," announced Mr. Payne, "and I want to say a few words."

"I will yield the gentleman five minutes," declared Fitzgerald, with a great show of graciousness and much to the amusement of the House.

Pages, messenger boys, newsboys and hostlebacks have a champion as a member of Congress who never lets pass an opportunity to help them along. If a messenger boy should happen to drop into the office of Representative William J. Cary, of Milwaukee, in the House office building he would get as much consideration as a member of the United States Senate.

Mr. Cary is the friends of the little chaps because he knows from experience what it means to get out and hustle for a living when some of your friends are off playing baseball in the back lots, and whenever he gets a chance to give a youngster a boost he boosts hard.

Mr. Cary was left an orphan when he was thirteen years old, together with five younger brothers and sisters who were placed in an orphan asylum. He got a job as a messenger boy and when he was not hustling around the city of plentiful beer delivering messages he was spending his time learning telegraphy. When he was eighteen years old he was given a key. He began saving money from the day he was a messenger boy and after he had been a full-fledged operator for one year he furnished a little home and took his brothers and sisters from the orphan asylum and placed them in possession of it.

In chasing around Milwaukee Cary became acquainted with the political leaders of the city, and by the time he was old enough to vote he was a full fledged politician. He was first elected to office as an Alderman in 1900 and re-elected to the same office two years later. In 1903 he was elected Sheriff of the city. He was elected to the Sixtieth Congress and re-elected to the Sixty-first. Incidentally Mr. Cary is one of the most consistent and insistent insurgents to be found in the House. Machine methods do not appeal to him and he would rather mix up in a fight with the Cannon organization than to take a cruise to Europe.

Transfers Of Real Estate

Ulysses A. Swisshelm to Anna M. West, lot on Gay street, $1750.

Fred V. Smith to Charles C. Elhoff and O. E. Emory, 88 acres in Madison township, $2,200.

Godfrey Naas to J. E. Blackburn, lands in Brush Creek township, $750.00.

Oscar J. Slattery to Merle Dadult, lot on Timmonds avenue, $650.00.

Mary C. Creekbaum to Max Jacobs, lot on Washington street, $1.00.

Joseph W. Smith to J. E. Blackburn, 9 acres in Brush Creek township, $42.50.

G. W. Chandler to Robert M. Preston, 80 acres in Jefferson township, $200.

Charles B. Porter to W. W. Chandler, 77 acres in Jefferson township, $300.

A. T. Holcomb to Robert Martin, 40 acres in Bloom township, $100.

Mary Paine to Robert Martin, 60 acres in Bloom township, $450.

Mary Parter and others to W. W. Chandler, 39 acres in Jefferson township, $1,000.00.

Mary J. Richardson and others to Thomas J. Roberts, lot on Jackson street, $1.00.

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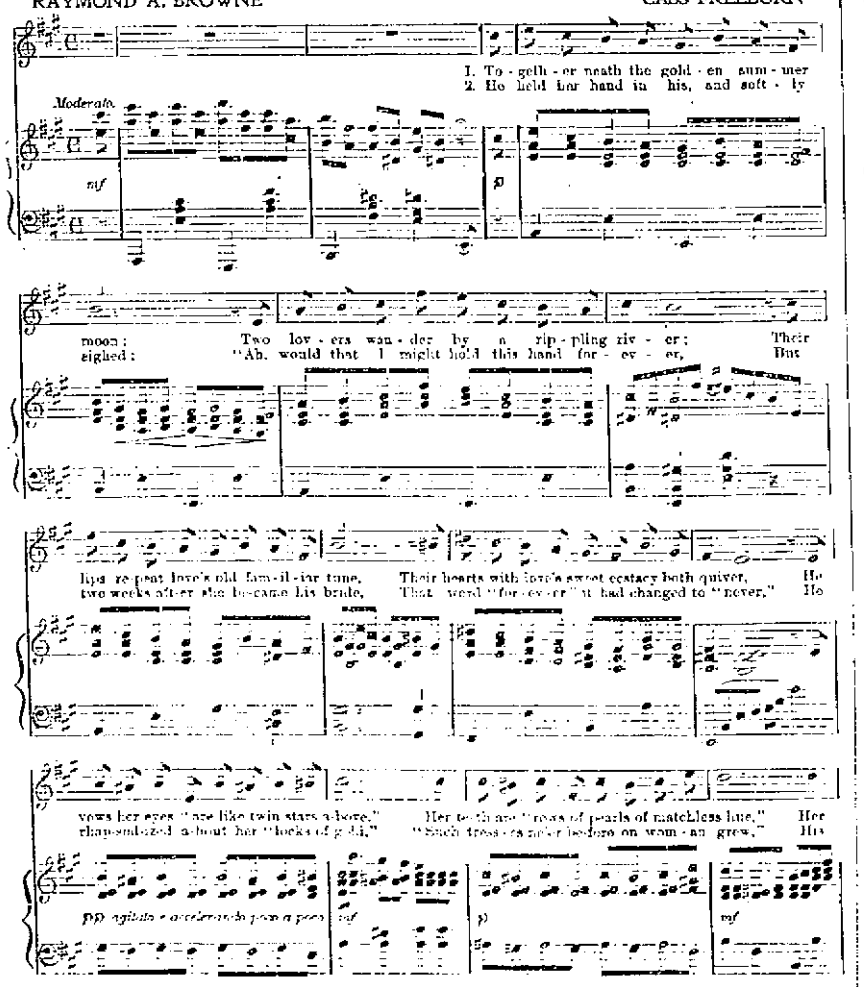

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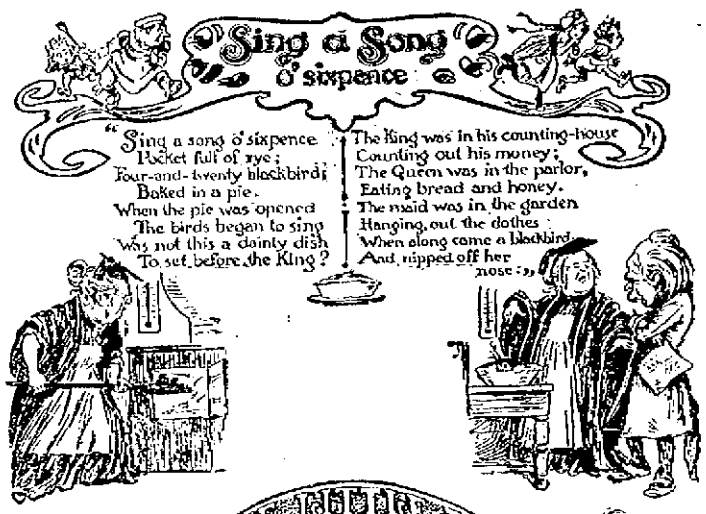

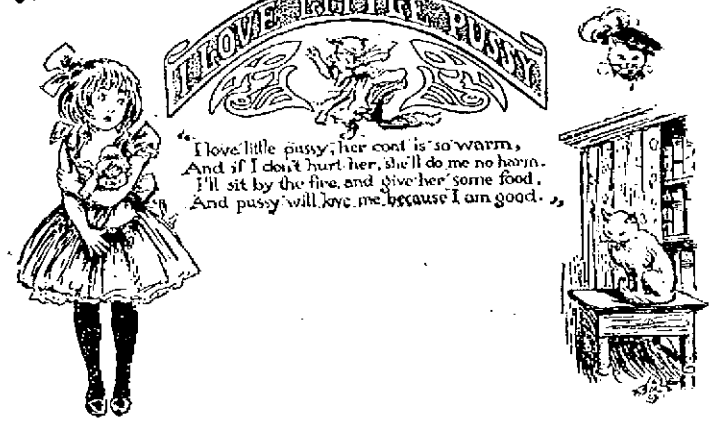

Our Hearts Pure From Evil

By Gabrielle E. Jackson.

"YOU haven't average understanding. You are absolutely hopeless. You do not wish to study, so what can be expected? You will not work—" Each word fell with distinctness, precision, monotony, and was as uncompromising as the steady drip, drip of icy water during a February thaw.

"But, Miss Joy, I am not allowed to do any work at home. All——"

"That will do. This is neither the time nor place for explanations, and I do not care to hear them. I have no patience with people who say they *cannot* do this or that; it is usually, *will not*. You should have done this supplementary work. I shall mark you very low for having failed to do it."

"Would that be fair to me, Miss Joy? I knew all of the regular lessons perfectly, but this work to be done at home was impossible for me—"

But again the girl's voice was interrupted by the icy tones of the literature teacher, who uttered the one word: "Silence!" She had, however, the grace to drop her eyes before the big brown ones which looked into her own so steadily, and with such a rebuke in their clear, liquid depths that her own coldsterely ones were forced to shrink before that gaze.

The girl turned from the teacher's desk and, walking quietly to her seat, sat down and began preparing a subject for the following day. Miss Joy opened her roll-book to mark the girls for the lesson just recited, while the class busied itself with some examination papers which had not been completed the previous day and were to be handed in that morning. A number of these papers lay upon the teacher's desk, and when she had finished her roll-book she began to examine them. It was close to the Easter holidays and all must be finished before Wednesday of the coming week. Miss Joy's left hand kept up a steady nervous tattoo upon her desk as her right scored with a blue pencil, one paper after another, and the silence of the room was broken only by the scratching of the girls' pens as they ran across their papers.

Miss Joy was a small, angular woman of forty or more years, rigidly erect and unbending both in figure and disposition. She ruled by "discipline" and "dignity," she said, and never did human being personify the former as did Miss Joy, although she frequently lost sight of the latter for lack of self-control. She had been teaching many years, and never yet had a word of affection been spoken in connection with her name. One generation of girls followed another through the school, but never was an "old girl" known to speak a kindly word of Miss Joy or give the slightest indication of a warm sentiment for her. Her influence upon the girls in her classes varied with the temperaments of the individuals. Some feared, some hated, some despised her. Others lived in a constant state of rebellion, with a wild desire to "get even at all hazards." The better bred, more self-possessed girls quietly endured her. The sunny-souled, happy, sensitive, high-principled, delicately organized ones experienced a form of exquisite torture when brought in contact with a nature so diametrically opposed to their own.

Among the latter type was Lois Chilton. She had entered the school that year, coming from another distant town, and a greater contrast between her present unhappy surroundings and her former delightful ones it would be difficult to imagine. A few years before she had broken down from overstudy, and school had to be given up for eighteen months. Then came a year's work in Westleigh where the raveled threads were so happily knitted together again, and now, at sixteen, she was a pupil in the Appleton School, where she was learning to understand a phase of life hitherto undreamed of. Sunny of soul, light-hearted, winning, quick to see the humorous side of everything, generous, affectionate, was Lois Chilton. She went through life finding it well worth living, and shedding sunshine for all who would take it. She had a fine mind, worked conscientiously and comprehendingly, concentrating all her efforts upon her subject and letting it sink in. She was truthful as truth itself, scorned subterfuge and meanness, and if in the wrong, was always ready to admit it and "take her medicine" as she expressed it.

But "medicine," except in the form of a tonic, plenty of outdoor exercise and her gymnastic work, as well as a careful avoidance of overstudy, was never needed, and her intercourse with her other instructors, her parents and older people was that of the most delightful good-fellowship. They were, of course, her friends. She expected them to be so, why not? That an older person could entertain a grudging animosity toward a younger one was a condition of things quite beyond her grasp. But the year now drawing to its close had taught her much, and she was learning to distrust one of those "grown-ups" whom she had always been taught to trust and respect.

Why Miss Joy had singled out Lois Chilton for the special object of her acrimony it would be hard to explain, unless it was the natural antagonism of such a nature as hers for its exact opposite. That she had made life a burden for the girl for seven months was past a doubt, and unless some sort of halt was soon called the outcome was liable to prove serious for her pupil.

When she was placed in the school, Lois' physical condition had been made known to the principal, who, in turn, explained to her teachers that Lois would take only certain subjects, and limit the amount of work to that which could be prepared and recited during the five school hours, leaving her entirely free afterward for the outdoor exercise and physical training so essential. Miss Joy was fully aware of the conditions, but chose to discredit the need, and never for a single moment ceased to criticise the amount of work the girl did. She seemed to take a malicious delight in giving her just a little more than it was possible for her to do in the allotted time. Lessons long in themselves were made more taxing by supplementary reading, which could only be done after school hours. That she could not give the child a downright failure so long as the regular lessons were correctly recited she knew very well, but she could, and did, mark her disgracefully low, and taunt her with a lack of interest and inability; wound her by unjust accusations and irritate her almost beyond endurance. Day after day was this done, until poor Lois dreaded the literature class. More than once when on her way to school in the morning had she offered up a pathetic little prayer that "Miss Joy may be good-natured to-day," only to find Miss Joy more on edge than ever.

As Miss Joy worked upon the examination papers this morning, her lips were compressed until only a thin line was visible to indicate them. Presently she glanced toward Lois' desk.

"Why are you not working upon your examination paper, Lois Chilton?" she demanded.

"I haven't——" began Lois.

"You haven't what?" broke in Miss Joy.

"You——"

"Never mind me. I wish to know why you are not working as the other girls are? Answer that question and say nothing else."

"I gave you ——" when again that metallic voice interrupted.

But poor Lois Chilton had been goaded just a little too far that morning, and no amount of training can be counted upon to withstand the last straw. Looking Miss Joy squarely in the eyes, her own fairly blazing, but her mouth tightly closed, as though to repress words struggling to force themselves from her lips, she rose from her seat, shoulders squared and head erect, to walk straight up to Miss Joy's desk.

Like most cowardly, nagging natures, Miss Joy seemed actually to shrivel as the tall girl bore down upon her in her righteous wrath. For some time the teacher had striven by every artifice of her cold, vindictive nature to draw from Lois Chilton some word of impertinence or rebellious act; to provoke her into some discourtesy which would justify sending the girl to the principal's office. Yet never during all those miserable months had she succeeded in so doing. Even when Miss Joy was standing, Lois towered head and shoulders above her, and now as the small woman shrank into herself, the girl seemed a veritable personification of outraged justice coming to claim her rights.

She paused directly in front of Miss Joy, and said in a tone which her teacher had never before heard from those lips:

"Miss Joy, will you be good enough to open that drawer?" pointing to the upper drawer of the teacher's desk.

Without a word, but with a slightly trembling hand, Miss Joy complied. In the drawer lay a neatly written examination paper bearing Lois' name.

"Is not that the paper you wish, Miss Joy?"

"Certainly; certainly. How came it here? What do you mean by taking the liberty of placing it in my drawer?" Miss Joy was recovering herself, and had discovered a mate's nest.

"One moment, if you please, Miss Joy." The clear voice never faltered. "Do you recall that my paper was the only one completed when the period bell rang yesterday, and, at your own request, I handed it to you? You hastily opened that drawer and laid it there. And there is the period bell to end this recitation. I have the pleasure to wish you good morning, Miss Joy."

She drew back from the desk, let fall the hand that had been pointing to her examination paper, and stepped into her place in the line which the girls had already formed at the ringing of the bell.

"You are insolent! Insolent!" cried Miss Joy, beside herself with passion. "I shall instantly report you. I shall make this examination so difficult for you that it will be impossible for you to pass! I shall be unsparing in my criticism of your paper! Do you hear me?"

But not another word did Lois Chilton utter as the class marched from the literature room; for the rules of the school brooked no delay once a period bell had rung.

An hour later she turned the corner of the street upon which her home stood. All the pretty color had vanished from her cheeks, her eyes looked heavy and dull, her lips had a sad little droop, and her step lacked its usual buoyancy. While still far down the block she saw her mother waiting for her upon their piazza, as she had never missed waiting since Lois began school at nine years of age. That little meeting each day had much to do with Lois' sunshine, and this year it had been a mighty safeguard against disaster for Mrs. Chilton was by no means blind to the prevailing condition of affairs. She had watched with misgivings the effect it was having upon Lois, physically, mentally and morally, for this daughter was too precious to be marred by outer influences.

The hand which Lois placed in her mother's was icy cold, but the lips which rested against her cheek were hot and feverish. A shadow passed over Mrs. Chilton's face, to be instantly replaced by a bright smile, as she said:

"Come in to luncheon, Sweetheart; Katy has some delicious little rolls for us."

Instantly Lois' expression changed. Flinging her arms about her mother, she nestled her head in her neck, and cried in a little quivering voice, which told all too plainly of the nerve strain to which she had been submitted:

"What a precious, precious little mother you are! You always have something happy to say, and seem to know when I most need it. You couldn't roll me in a wet blanket, could you? And you whisk off those anyone else dares wrap me in, don't you? I couldn't live a single minute without you to bear me up!"

Mrs. Chilton laughed a happy little laugh as she replied:

"Isn't that what mothers were made for? Now sit down to your luncheon, and while you are enjoying your rolls I'll tell you some pleasant news. Papa is going to take us to Lakewood for Easter. We start on Monday."

Lois let fall the roll she held to clasp her hands in rapture and cry:

"How perfectly splendid! A whole week outdoors and no Miss Joy! Oh, Mumsey, it has been an awful day, and I lost my temper, said dreadful things, and am going to lose my Lit. Exam. for Miss Joy said so. And I worked so hard," and the pretty head wagged despondently.

"No, dear, not your examination. Because I have decided to withdraw you from the school. You will not return after Easter. I think the tax upon your strength has been a little too severe. I have written to Miss Appleton giving my reasons, and have requested her to send me all your papers, etc., by mail on Monday. After you have had a little holiday, we will read and study together each morning, and you will lose very little. As for the outcome of the examination, you are not to worry over it. You have worked faithfully, and no one can do better than do their best."

"I have, oh, Mumsey, I have!" cried Lois. "I don't feel a bit scared about anything but the Lit., and Miss Joy said today that she would make that impossible so I dare say it isn't any use to hope for anything there."

Lois did not see the quick squaring of her mother's shoulders or the shutting together of the lips, so exactly as she herself had done not two hours before. Then Mrs. Chilton continued:

"I am delighted with the progress you have made this year, and I think you have earned your holiday. At any rate I cannot spare my wishing daughter to replace her with an overwrought, nervous one."

Just then the waitress went to answer the door-bell, and presently returned to say:

"Please, Mrs. Chilton, there's a man wishing to speak with you."

Mrs. Chilton rose from the table and went to the door. A trolley-car official raised his hat as he asked:

"Do you own a big red dog, lady?"

"Why, yes, we do. What is the matter? What has he done?"

"Well, I can't rightly say as he's done anythin'. It's more like what he *won't* do. He's squatted himself in the very middle of the track, and sits there like he owned it and all the earth, too, and unless I knock him into cocked hat I don't see how I'm go-n to run my car. 'Course, it's only trial trips we're makin' yet, but in a few days we'll be a-runnin' reg'lar, and I don't want to start out by killin' no valuable dog, and gettin run in for it. So I wirht you'd please call him home."

Mrs. Chilton collapsed upon the hall settee to laugh. Then she called to Lois: "Run out and persuade Don that the trolley company *does* own that property now, Lois, and that we have received full value for it. Assure him that the lot is now theirs, *not* ours, and he is under no obligation to mount guard over it."

The man smiled broadly, tipped his hat once more, and turned to follow Lois, who fled, laughing, down the steps to bring home the big Irish setter who could not be reconciled to the new order of things upon what he supposed was his mistress's property.

Don was a character. During the previous summer he had stood beside his mistress while a neighbor gathered for her a splendid bunch of scarlet geraniums and presented it with a graceful little speech. The next day, and the next, and the next, Don laid a fine geranium plant, roots and all, at Mrs. Chilton's feet, and looking into her face with as near an approach to their neighbor's smile as he could manage, asked in his dog language, "Wasn't that thoughtful of me?"

The neighbor did not agree. Neither did Mrs. Chilton feel especially gratified when Don undertook to keep the larder supplied with poultry after having observed the manner in which the gardener put an end to the life of a hapless chicken and then carried it to the cook. Don could not talk, but he could and *did* think as he proved later.

The following Monday, Lois' papers were not sent home. She had passed in every subject excepting English Literature. That paper was scored from end to end, every defect being magnified to the last degree. Her lips quivered as she looked at it over her mother's shoulder, for many of the points criticised were those upon which Miss Joy had insisted earlier in the year, but had afterward entirely forgotten. Under the circumstances it was impossible for her to pass.

A few hours later the family and Don were speeding toward Lakewood. Holy Week passed in all its hush of peace and rest. Many a weary heart and body had sought the soothing influence of Lakewood for moral and physical restoration. Many a tired brain was resting among the tall, whispering pines whose beautiful, arching boughs had given the first hint of Gothic architecture long years before. Here in the silent wood, which were "God's first temples," restless spirits were calmed and fractious ones found peace and discouraged ones renewed hope.

Easter was very late that year, and in this sheltered inland region the foliage had already advanced more than elsewhere, and all the world was a tender green with pink and white hints of future blossoming.

Early Easter morning, Lois and Don stole away from the hotel and hurried off to a remote bit of woodland bordering a lake. From afar came the softened sound of church bells ringing for early service.

As she walked through the beautiful pine wood, filled with life-giving, aromatic odors, and the glory of the early sunlight, Lois' thoughts were busy with recent happenings, and her heart filled with the spirit of the hour. Presently she spoke aloud, and Don paused to look up into her face as though to ask: "Did you speak to me?"

"No, it's all right, old fellow," she said. "I'm just having a little powwow with Lois Chilton, and trying to make her forget old scores to-day. It's hard work, sometimes, Don, do you know that?" she asked, as she dropped upon a fallen pine log and took the dog's head in her hands. Don looked at her with almost human intelligence. "Yes," she continued, looking absently out over the crystal waters of the lake, now growing in the sunlight, "dreadfully, dreadfully hard, for I never came so near hating anybody before, Don. I truly never, never did, and today I don't want to have a single unkind thought of anybody if I can help it; not even of Miss Joy. But she has hurt me cruelly so many times because she has been so unjust. Listen to the bells, Don. Do you know what they are saying?

"Our hearts be pure from evil,
That we may see aright,"

sang Lois, softly. "Listen, Don!"

As she spoke the last words a piercing shriek came across the water from the further side of the lake, where two rowboats were moored to a stake close to the water's edge. The dog bounded to his feet as though it were the cry to which he was bidden to hearken. Lois glanced quickly in the direction as the cry was repeated, and saw a woman fall between the boats as she attempted to step from one to the other. Lois echoed the cry as she sprang to her feet and started to run around the border of the lake to the figure struggling in the water. As she sped along, she cried to Don:

"On, Don! On! Catch her! Catch her!"

By the way Lois was forced to go the distance was great, and had the rescue depended upon her the victim's chances would have been small. But Don could cut corners, and with a comprehending bark he plunged into the water and swam with all his might. Not a moment too soon did he reach the woman, who had now ceased to struggle, and, grasping her by her coat collar, he held on for dear life as he strove to swim with his burden. But the boats impeded him and he could only hold her head above the water until Lois arrived, breathless, for she was only a slender little girl, and none too strong. As she hurried down the bank to the mooring, she gave a gasp of astonishment, and for a moment mistrusted her own sight, for the pallid, upturned face with its closed eyes and drenched locks was that of Miss Joy. Not one second did she wait to take breath, but bounded into one of the boats, and reaching down, drew the unconscious woman into it, then fell upon a thwart faint and exhausted. When aid, summoned by the intelligent Don's barks and whines, arrived from a nearby cottage, Lois sat holding her Late enemy's hand in her lap, and Miss Joy, once more conscious, was looking up into the girl's face with an expression in which gratitude, shame, and a dawning wondering admiration were sadly mingled.

To help save a life for Don was given his full meed of praise for his share in the matter—and to turn an enemy into a friend was Lois Chilton's pleasant record for that Easter. Nor did the good stop there, for the Appleton students were amazed to find a new Miss Joy when the Easter holidays ended—a Miss Joy who was actually human almost gentle, in her changed personality, and who, by degrees grew away from her old, hard self until it was evident that a miracle had been indeed wrought that wonderful Easter, and a nature had been made anew and for the better.

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HIS HERO.

By Jennie S. Houston.

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Once I drived out with my pa
Where the Brices lives, an' ma.
We took her along wih us,
Showed her what the country was,
I guess.

Boy out there, his name is Jim,
No one I like more'n him;
He knows everything they is,
"Guess I understand *my bis*"
Jim says.

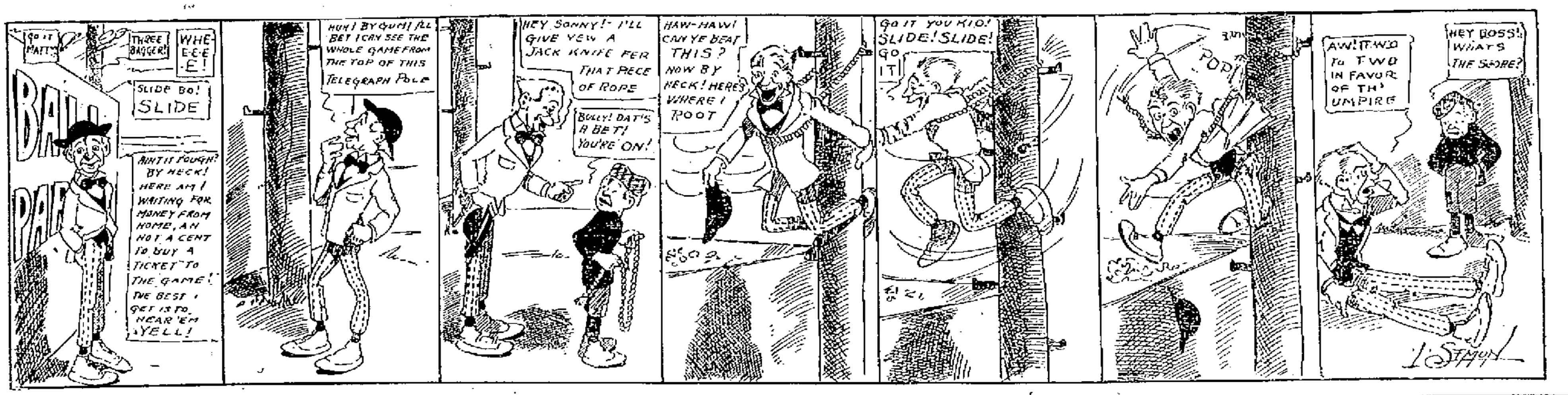
Said he wondered if I need
Any good popcorn-ball seed.
Some he knowed was good to plant;
First got his start from his aunt
In a cup

Jim, he give me twenty grains,
Said to plant it 'fore it rains,
An' the balls would be, he said,
'Most as big as my pa's head—
Rounder, tho'.

Willie Smith—I bet you he
'Ll be a-wantin' seed from me,
When he sees 'em on the stalk
In our yard, he'll talk and talk.
Ho, ho!

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

SI SWINK SEES HALF PORTION BALL GAME AND REACHES THE END OF HIS ROPE.



WALTER JUSTUS WANTED TO BE PRIZE FIGHTER

The enterprising sporting editor of the Lima News scissored this one from somewhere:

"Ever know that Walter Justus, the famous bunch of eccentricity who used to hurl for the Lanks, and is now with Dayton, had a kid ambition to become a prize fighter?

"His dad used to give him lessons until the kid got able to sneak in a few wallops on the old man and then Walter had to hunt for some one else to jolt.

"He put it over on about every boxer in and about his home town and was just beginning to preen himself for further fights when he found his hands were going back on him and every time he struck a blow the pain was terrific.

"Nothing could give him any relief and he was forced to give up his favorite sport and he took to baseball."

CAN'T PLAY WITH MARION

Marion, O., April 23—The management yesterday notified Manager Lewis not to permit Ralph Behringer to play Sunday when the Shilohs of the K. I. O. league arrive here. Behringer is slated to play at short for Dayton outfit which includes Roy Shafer, an old Marion player and Al Pardee. Behringer is under suspension by the Wausau club and Marion has been notified that a fine of $200 will be imposed if Behringer is allowed to enter the game. If Behringer plays with the Shilohs this year it will make the K. I. O. league an outlaw organization.

NEW RECRUIT AT MARION

Marion, O., April 23.—Jack McCormick of Holyoke, Mass., who led the shortstops of the Connecticut league last season, reported here Friday. McCormick is a well-built fellow and believes he will have no trouble in landing a regular place on the team. His record of last season speaks of his ability. Although a shortstop, McCormick intends trying for an outfield position. He has played in the outfield and believes he will be able to make good in the field and hit much better than when he played the infield.

MARION HAS 5 CATCHERS

Marion, O., April 23.—Ray Coolidge of Watertown, N. Y., a promising young catcher, secured to Marion by "Bits" Bierhalter, reported today. Catcher Bill Johnstone of last year's squad will arrive today. This will give the Diggers five mighty clever catchers as Reilly, Ball and Guettschaw have already been looked over by the fans. Reilly is certain of the regular berth but the other four will have a battle royal.

TWO GAMES AT CONEY ISLAND

The baseball season will be opened in fine style at Coney Island Sunday afternoon when a doubleheader will be played. In the first contest the Sciotoville team will be stacked up against the Kentucky Browns and the Browns will battle with the Flys in the second. Brooker and Bainer will be on the slab for the over-the-river team. Play called at one o'clock.

A Toast.

A cheerful mind,
A loving heart,
Some work and strength to do it,
A bit to eat,
A place to sleep—
That's life for me—here's to it.
—Home Notes.

Great Game Expected Sunday At Millbrook

It will look like old times at Millbrook Park, Sunday afternoon, when the fans will gather to witness the contest between the Portsmouth team of the Ohio State League and the P. C. C's. Judging from the expressions on every hand the grand stand will be taxed to its seating capacity, and don't be at all surprised should the bleachers be packed as well.

Tell you what, the fans of this city are overly anxious to see the local team in action. They want to get a correct line on their ability and compare them man for man with the team that represented this fair city last year.

And again, the fans want a chance to display their loyalty. They realize full well that the club owners have been to a big expense in rounding in the recruits and furnishing them with three square meals per day and a soft downy bed at night. It takes money to corral a bunch of ball players, and the fans should be big enough and liberal enough to stand right with the promotors and show their colors by chipping into the strong box.

The club owners are not in the game because they hope to realize on the investment. They will be tickled to death if they come out even. They are in a measure to be looked upon as public benefactors—little Andy Carnegies, as it were. They are taking a chance on losing a nice bunch of money—that was the situation last season and there is no iron clad, rivet clinches reason that the same conditions will not exist this year. It is hoped that the game will be self sustaining, and the directors will endeavor to run the affairs of the club on that basis. Here's hoping they do. But at that, the question of finances will be up to the supreme court—the fans. It will only cost 25 cents to see the game Sunday, and you certainly cannot kick legitimately on that figure. You will get your money's worth, for take a tip that the Cycle lads are going to prove awfully troublesome with Crichton in the box. That tall fellow is better than ever this spring, and some of the recruits are going to bite off more than they can conveniently chew if they think they will not experience any trouble in connecting with his slants. He will fan more than a half dozen—make a bet on it for that ear-drop of his'n is behaving beautifully and it's got 'em all on its wagon.

The admission, as previously stated, will be but 25 cents, and this will admit you to any seat in the stands or on the bleachers. The game will be called promptly at 2:30 o'clock and will be over in plenty of time for an early luncheon. Come out and root for your favorites.

NOT LIKE BRO. TY

Paul Cobb, whose chief claim to distinction is that he is a brother of the famous "Ty" and that some Joplin press agent once touted him so strongly that St. Louis was fooled into drafting him, has reported to Jimmy Sullivan at Lincoln. Cobb may have improved so much that he will be a world-beater with Lincoln—these young fellows do that sometimes—but he was unable to hold a job last summer.

Jeff Offers Fortune To Fake Fight With O'Brien

Only one man ever tried to get me to lay down and that was Jack O'Brien, says James J. Jeffries, in his history of himself. Shortly after his fight with Tommy Burns O'Brien made a trip to Nevada to see the Gans-Nelson battle. When he returned to Los Angeles he called on me at my town residence. He lost no time about getting to business.

"Jim," said he, "I have some business to talk over with you. It may interest you and it may not. I don't know whether you would have anything to do with a proposition of this kind."

I saw that he was trying to make me say something, but I shut up and made him come out with it.

"It is just this," he said finally.

"I have found a certain party or parties in Nevada who say they will give a $30,000 purse for a fight between you and me. They will place an additional $50,000 in the bank for you, $80,000 in all—every cent of which will go to you."

Then he stopped for a second and wound up with these identical words.

"But you will have to take the count to get it."

I began to laugh at him and he saw right away that it was all off.

Before O'Brien went away I told him I had been on the level so far, and if I ever fought again it would have to be on the square.

O'Brien tried the same thing with Burns, and McCarey outfigured him.

Wagers On Number Of Rounds In Big Fight

Plenty of Money Being Placed as to the Probable Length of the Heavyweight Battle.

(By JOLTUM BIGMYTT.)

Just how many rounds the coming championship fight between James J. Jeffries and "Jack" Johnson will last is the question that seems to be bothering most of the sporting element. Already there have been many bets recorded on this proposition and in every instance the number of rounds is more than ten.

This, it is said, is because of what is supposed to be an "inside line" that the fighters have contracted not to attempt to put each other out in less than twelve rounds for the benefit of the pictures. According to the contract the "inside line" says the principals in the big mill must go twelve rounds or forfeit a great amount of the share of the picture receipts.

Whether there is any truth in this will probably not be known until the men get together on July 4, but it is certain to leak out then. There will be so many sporting authorities at the fight watching every move made from start to finish that the slightest attempt at stalling on the part of either man will be detected immediately.

However, the rumor has a strong foothold and is spreading rapidly. In fact it is almost the principal subject in all discussions of the fight and there are many who believe it has a touch of genuineness. Both the followers of Jeffries and the admirers of Johnson laugh at the idea that they have subscribed to such an agreement. While they admit that the pictures end of the game is an important factor they all insist that both men have too much at stake to take any chances.

Many sporting men, even those who like Jeffries, think that he only hope of beating Johnson is by ending the fight right from the start. Jeffries is too old a man—he was thirty-five years old yesterday—to fool away any time, and if he should, the negro would be sure to wear him down. Besides all this Jeffries is proud and those who enjoy his confidence declare he would be the most disappointed man in the world should Johnson beat him.

The followers of Johnson's fortunes laugh at the idea that their idol has agreed to let the fight go any stated distance because of the pictures. He may let the fight go ten or twelve or more rounds, they admit, but if he does, it will only be for the purpose of getting Jeffries to use up all of his energy so that he can beat him easier.

Nevertheless there will be few bets made that the fight will not go more than ten rounds.

GEORGE EVANS GETS RELEASE

George Evans, familiarly known as "Chummie," has received notice of his release from Lexington, Ky., of the Blue Grass league, where he had expected to play the coming season.

Evans is the unluckiest chap when it comes to being knocked out of a steady job. Last season he signed up with Keokuk, Iowa, and just before reporting date came around drew the pink slip. His friends here hope he will get in his back and succeed in landing a permanent berth. He is a capable player and a gentleman with it.

Tom Best removed his fine big gasoline launch "Turk" from its winter quarters to the river on Saturday.

COLLINS TO GO TO THREE I LEAGUE?

Canton, O., April 23. Either Lauterborn or Collins will play at Davenport, Iowa, in the Three-Eye league the coming season. Manager Drumm has succeeded in placing the one he will release.

The question of selecting this one is worrying the manager. Both are recognized as fast men with considerable experience. Drumm would like to hold them both, but to do so is an impossibility if the team expects to keep within the salary limit.

LINK TELLS HOW NEWARK LOST

Laddy Link, the Nap's hero and former O. & P. star, tells a story of his team being beaten out of a pennant by using too many signals, says the Youngstown Vindicator.

"That was in 1907, when Link was the mainstay of the Newark O. & P. league club's pitching staff. Akron, Youngstown and Newark were fighting for the pennant.

"Sandy Murray, our captain and second baseman, beat us by too much inside ball," said Laddy. "Sandy would get the catcher's signals and signal the outfielders what ball was called for. Our outfielders shifted so often that a couple of clubs got on to Murray's system. They put men outside the park who signalled the batters with a stick above the fence. Our pitchers were hit hard and a winning streak broken before we got onto it that we were beaten ourselves.

"Youngstown won the pennant by a single game, with Newark second."

NEWARK TO GET TWO CASTOFFS

East Liverpool, O., April 23.—On the eve of the team's departure for a week's trip around the Central and Ohio State circuits, Manager Sample handed out two more pink slips Tuesday evening. The recipients were Third Baseman Alcock and Outfielder Hunter. Both will probably land with the Newark team of the Ohio State league.

Alcock showed himself a lively performer while here and is bound to eventually make good, as has his brother, Forbs Alcock, former Potter, now with the Chattanooga team.

Both were loud in their praise of Manager Sample, whom they regretted to leave. "The worst I can wish him is the best of success," chimed Hunter when leaving, and Alcock spoke in a similar vein. "Sample will have a strong team when he finishes his lineup, and I wish him well," he said.

Pending the time to report in Newark, Alcock will go to his home in Wooster.

Money to loan on real estate—The Royal Savings and Loan Co., 19 Gallia St. 21-3

Reds Made Nice Start But Have Fallen Down

Cincinnati, O., April 3.—No sweeter start was ever made by a Cincinnati team in a championship race than that of the Reds in the first two games of the season with the Chicagos. It has been a rare thing in the past for the local aggregation to win an opening game, so that was one record; and to come back the next day and inflict another walloping to so high class a team was almost unprecedented. No wonder the followers of the game went wild. Then followed the "Seven lean years" in the shape of a dearth of properly developed pitchers, the final rake-off being an even split with the former world's champions, after there had been much hope manifested that the Griffites would carve out three of the four games. The series with the Cubs demonstrated that, given the same class of pitching as Chance's men, the Reds are in their class in every way. In fielding, base-running, hitting and general play the Reds looked every bit as good as the Cubs in the first two games. It must be remembered, too, that in those games the Cubs had their star twirlers, Overall and Brown, on the mound. All of which indicates that when Spade, Gaspar and Fromme join the merry throng of twirlers on Griffith's staff, there will be much damage done to the teams that now are boasting of the sky manner in which they will lead the Reds at the finish.

The opening series brought home forcibly to the fans several most gratifying facts. Firstly, it was demonstrated that the club had not been buncoed in the securing of Fred Beebe from St. Louis and George Suggs from Mobile. Beebe's work in the first game was a masterpiece of pitching, while Suggs' performance on Friday, after Big Covaleskie had surrendered, was about as classy as one sees this early in the season. Suggs had everything and a little more with which to harass the Cubs, and he used all his skill so intelligently that the big fellows from Chi. didn't look the part of prospective champions at all. Suggs certainly has come to stay, and is the first of the minor league recruits to receive the positive O. K. of the fans. It is quite likely that he will make his next appearance in the box on the home lot against the St. Louis Cardinals on Sunday, April 24, when Miller Huggins, the former Red, will be the center of attraction. The Cardinals, by the way, will be the Reds' opponents on Sunday, May 1, when Beebe is slated to work against his old teammates.

You just naturally must hand it to Hans Wagner, of the Pirates, for being the greatest in the business. Hans doesn't like the adulation thing which fans love to display toward heroes of the diamond, and so does the speedy disappearing act whenever he gets off the ball field. During his stay in Cincinnati this week with the Pirates the husky German darted his old-time daily and hiked across the river to Kentucky, where he spent hours at one of his favorite pastimes, namely, snaring the merry fishlet. Hans, by the way, feels that the Reds are going to make a greater noise in baseball this year than they did last season. "Griffith has the fastest bunch of youngsters ever gathered together in the National league," avers Hans, "and if they have any kind of pitching behind them, they are going to make all of us hustle." And the outlok is that the aforementioned pitching will be on tap quite copiously.

Can you imagine Jim Jeffries, the boiler maker, poring over Voltaire, Masterlinck, Chaucer or Browning? Is it possible to picture the human battering ram discussing the work of the Dutch masters as compared with those of France and Italy? Does the same intellect stretch so far as to get a mental impression of the greatest of all sluggers listening dreamily to the strains of a Beethoven sonata or a Liszt rhapsodie? Yet that's what Joe Choyinski, the former fighter, and the man who has been selected to do all the heavy training with Jeff, has chosen for the big fellow's recreation. Croyinski says that after the training hours at Jeffries' camp, pugilistic conversation will be barred and only such higher matters as art, literature and music discussed. That system may rest Jeff's "nerve centers," but it certainly will give his brain cells an awful battle about once a day.

C. H. ZUBER.

Lima Recruits Made Mud Fly

The mud flew at San Felice park Thursday morning when the Cigarmakers started practice, says the Lima Times-Democrat. The bunch of twenty-seven players reported on Monday morning for duty, but the weather man took a hand and prevented them getting down to work. However the sunshine Thursday morning started the fever and at ten o'clock Manager Newnham had the boys on the field for light practice. The field was muddy and no attempt was made at play, but all had an opportunity to take a few kinks out of their arms and Friday should see the bunch in action.

Unless the schedule is altered the Canton O.-P. team will play here next Monday and Tuesday, and the games will give Newnham an opportunity to see the boys lined up and to make a selection from the recruits for a team to carry off the honors for Lima again this season.

Pat Weller is on deck as a candidate for the third sack position, and he is looking fine. Pat says that he never was in better condition, and expects to make a better record than last year.

Pennybaker, the star left handed twirler of last season has grown heavy during the winter, but says that he has but little superfluous flesh and is in much better condition now than he was even at the close of last season.

From general appearances Newnham has a likely bunch of new men on hand, and there is every prospect for a pennant wining team here this season.

Booster Day At Riverside

It is expected that a crowd of at least 750 fans will be present at Riverside park, Sunday afternoon, to witness the game between Si Straus' R. C's and the N. & W. Terminals.

The day has been officially designated as "Boosters Day," for the management of the R. C's hopes to realize a sufficient sum to liquidate every penny of indebtedness against the organization. For that reason the sum of 25c will be charged for admission. But Manager Gomperline expects to give the fans that much entertainment and a little more for good measure. He anticipates one of the best games of the year, for the two teams are evenly matched and the game will be fought hard from start to finish.

The umpire will call "Play Ball" at 2:30 sharp, and it would not be a bad idea to be there on time, as the late arrivals will have no one to blame but themselves should they not secure choice seats. The teams will line up as follows:

R. C's—Smith, 1b; Staiger, ss; Reeg, 3b; Carver or Evans, 2b; Helt, lf; Tiimmes, cf; Banfield, rf; Gilmore or Denint, i; Coyle, p.

Terminals—Waldon, 2b; Smith, cf; Moore, 3b; Belont, lf; Lesture, ss; Corriell, 1b; Reinfrank, rf; Russell, c; Rhodes or Brandt, p.

All that we have willed, or hoped, or dreamed good of shall exist;
The high, that proved too high; the heroic for earth too hard,
The passion that left the ground to lose itself in the sky,
Are music sent up to God by the lover and the bard;
Enough that He heard it once: we shall hear it by and by.
—Browning.

Manager Stewart of the Cut Rate Drug store, has as his guests, his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Horell of Canton.

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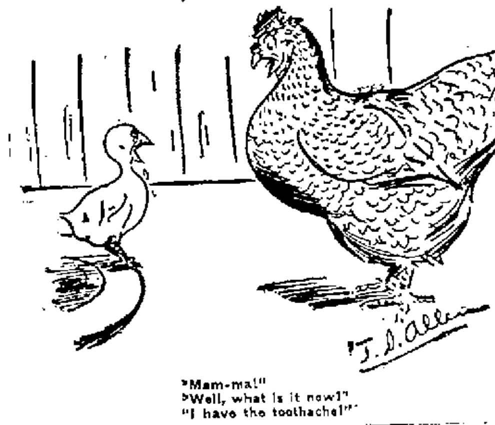
Merry Sunbeams Between the Showers

WANTED, A WORM FOR A FILLER.



"Mam-ma!"
"Well, what is it now?"
"I have the toothache!"

NEVER STAYS PUT.

Chicago Woman—A man is often silenced in an argument when unconvinced.

Man From New York—Although the woman may be convinced, she is never silenced.

ROMANCE AND THE REAL THING.

"If there were tournaments in this age, what knight would you be?" asked the young thing who had been reading "Ivanhoe."

"Every night for me," yawned the lover.

MAMMA GOOSE TO DATE.

John, John, the chauffeur's son,
Stole a car, and away he run.
Cop chased behind; John got fined;
The owner paid and kicked and whined.

APPROPRIATE EXPRESSIONS.

The expression upon Mr. Gilley's face when reading a love letter. — Studying the financial column. — When he reads music. — During a dumbbell exercise. — On the jury.

ON THE HOME STRETCH.

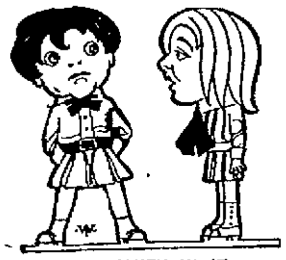
"This is the third cake I have baked," said Euphemia to her beau. "The first two failed."

"This is the rubber," replied the young man as he bit into it.

EVENING UP AN OLD GRUDGE.

"Mr. Fiddleback asked what he would send you for a birthday present. I told him you stopped having birthdays ten years ago. Was I right?"

"Yes. It was ten years after you stopped."



NO MONEY IN IT.

Little Johnny—What is your papa's business?

Little Jimmy—My papa is a poet.

Little Johnny—Huh! That ain't a business. That's a disease.

AHEAD OF THE MOB.

Leading Man—We had a long run at Terry Hut.

Press Agent—They couldn't catch you, eh?

COACHING HIM FOR BUSINESS.

Stern Father (to son recently graduated)—My son, one of the first things you must learn is to say "no."

Son—Yes, father. I understand.

"I don't know whether you do or not. I heard you say 'naw' and 'nit' to two of my old customers."

SPOILED THE DOG.

Third Floor—Confound your dog, sir! He bit a piece out of my boy's leg.

Fourth Floor—Thunderation! I bought that pup to raise him as a vegetarian.

NOT AN ENTHUSIAST.

Speeder—He seems to be very proud of that machine of his. He certainly is an enthusiastic autoist.

Goggles—Oh, not at all! You couldn't call him an enthusiast. Why, I've known him to let his business interfere with a joy ride.

WHEN IT DIDN'T WORK.

Doting Mamma—Remember, Percy, you never lose anything by being polite to ladies.

Percy—Huh! I lost my seat by it this morning in the car.

IN THE DARK.

Young Heely—Now that you have said "No," am I to be considered in the light of a brother?

Miss Feely—No; as the light that failed.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY.

Slouicus—Marriage is nothing but a financial affair in all its successive stages.

Billicus—In what way?

Slouicus—First matrimony, then pin money, lastly alimony.

ACCORDING TO DIRECTIONS.

"Madam," said the dentist, "if you wish me to treat the tooth I must ask you to keep your tongue still."

"Didn't you tell me to make myself at home?"

OVERJOKED HIMSELF.

Then arose the ahkoond of Swat
And said to his jester: "Great Scott,
What sort of a joke have you laid?
And is it for this you are paid?
It's a muck rake for you. Eh, what?"

ONCE WAS ENOUGH FOR HIM.

Jacky—School is a jolly place, auntie.

"You'll like it better tomorrow."

"Do I have to go back tomorrow?"

"Why not, since you were so happy?"

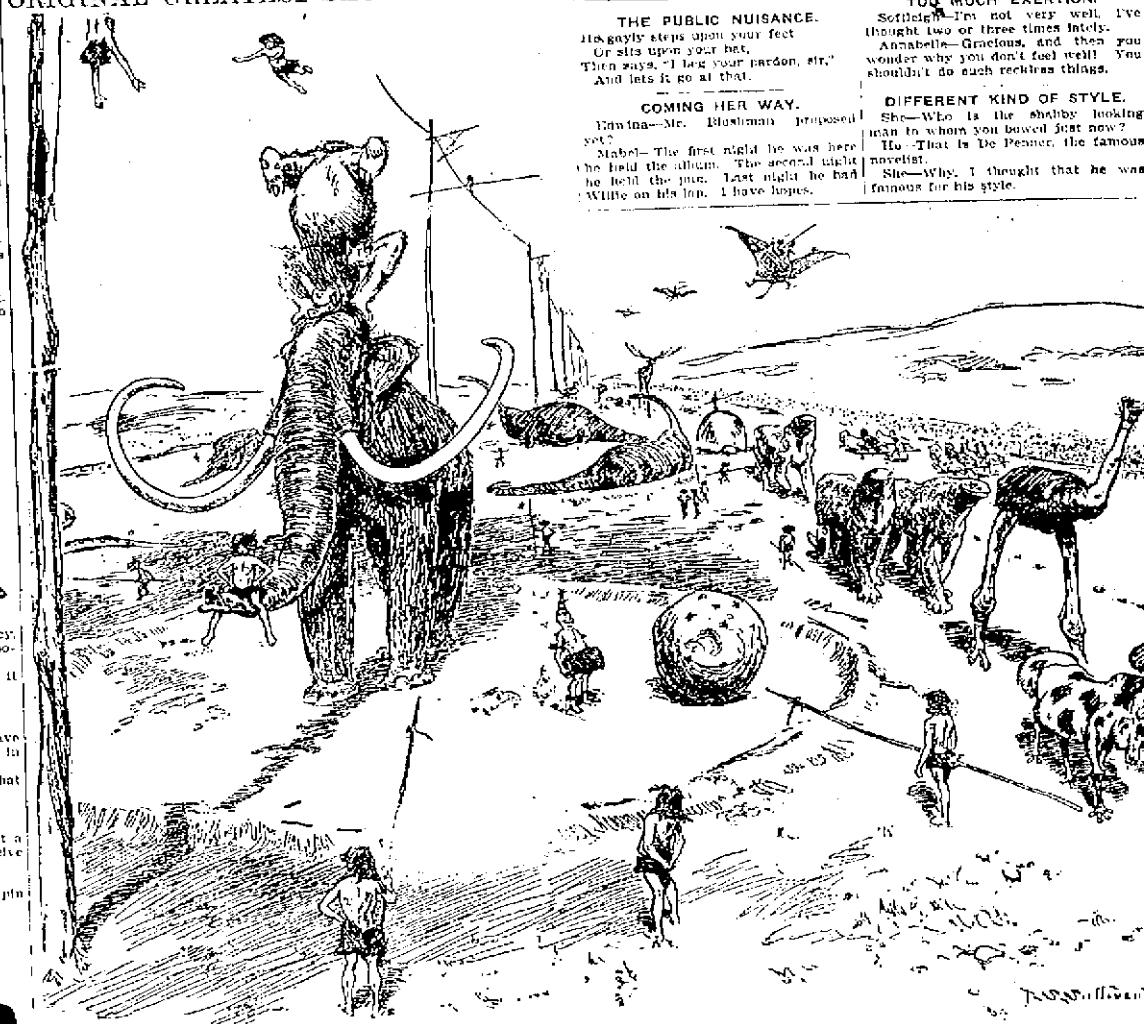
"Yes, but I don't want to make a habit of it."

AVOIDING BANKRUPTCY.

"Are you going to ask Stravagant to your dinner?"

"No; the last time we had him he passed his plate a second time for meat."

ORIGINAL GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH



THE PUBLIC NUISANCE.

He gayly steps upon your feet
Or sits upon your hat,
Then says, "I beg your pardon, sir,"
And lets it go at that.

COMING HER WAY.

Edwina—Mr. Blushman proposed yet?

Mabel—The first night he was here he held the album. The second night he held the pug. Last night he had Willie on his lap. I have hopes.

TOO MUCH EXERTION.

Softleigh—I'm not very well. I've thought two or three times lately.

Annabelle—Gracious, and then you wonder why you don't feel well! You shouldn't do such reckless things.

DIFFERENT KIND OF STYLE.

She—Who is the shabby looking man to whom you bowed just now?

He—That is De Penner, the famous novelist.

She—Why, I thought that he was famous for his style.

NOT INTERESTED.

Chully—I see—aw—some—doctah—aw—has invented a machine for looking into the brain.

"That doesn't interest us, old boy."

THE WORM TURNS.

She (an heiress)—I cannot marry you. I've had twenty better men than you at my feet.

He—Humph! Chiropodists?

A BEAR STORY.

Puttencall—When I found Boomer boosting the stock I was short of I took him out and persuaded him to drink. He took so much he couldn't go on the street to buy.

"You took the bull by the horns!"

HIS ARTISTIC BENT.

"Has Brushman any artistic ability?"

"Well, I've seen him draw corks quite naturally."

UNNECESSARY WORK.

He—May I kiss your fair hand?

She—Certainly. But if I had known that you preferred hands I wouldn't have taken the trouble to remove my veil.

WARRANTED TO MAKE A GO.

"What I want," said the theatrical manager, "is a genuine novelty."

"Something realistic," replied the playwright.

"Yes; that's the idea."

"How would it do to spring something with real actors in it?"

A POINT IN ETIQUETTE.

"If a fellow calls on his girl should he leave his hat and cane in the hall?"

"If the girl lives in a boarding house and the hat and cane are worth anything he had better hang on to them."

THE MAIDEN'S DREAM.

"Sentimental girl, that Sally Syre. Told me she longed to be a mermaid."

"So as to be among the buoys."

JOY IN THE JUNGLE.

The heathen in his blindness
Bows down to wood and stone
Until he sees a fat man
Out on the road alone.

THE REVENUE ONLY.

"What a dear old booby you are!" she said to her indulgent husband. "You wouldn't love me more if I were rich."

"If you were rich," he replied, "I could have married you without loving you at all."

HAD REACHED THE LIMIT.

She—They tell me, professor, that you have mastered all modern tongues.

Professor Polyglot—Not exactly, not exactly. All but two—my wife's and her mother's.

TOOK ALL OF IT.

Physician—Did you take the man's temperature?

Student—I think I did. I put him on ice.

NEVER AGAIN.

S. P. C. C. Agent (to Mrs. Murfay)—Madam, you mustn't let your little daughter go to the saloon for beer.

Mrs. Murfay—Indade that I won't. Sure she sphilled it all the tasht toime she wint.

SLIP OF THE DEACON.

Deacon Berry—You remember the words of St. Paul before Agrippa?

Miss Stalemate—No, deacon. I do not. St. Paul was before my time.

Deacon Berry—You surprise me.

RETORT OBVIOUS AND COURTEOUS.

Corpulent Lady (to policeman on the corner)—Can you see me across the street, officer?

"Yes, lady. I could see you several blocks away."

DIVISION.

Client—You were to have half if we won the suit. Now you tell me there is nothing coming to me.

Lawyer—That's right. We got half what we sued for, and that's my share.

A REAL GOOD THING.

"You good old thing!" said she as she took the check from her husband.

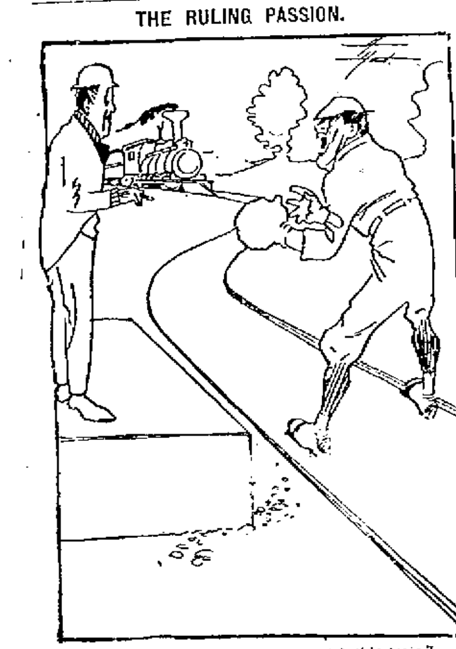
"Yes," he yawned; "I really am a good thing."

CIVIL WAR JOKE.

English Officer—In battle musicians are always kept in the rear.

Retired Veteran—We tried that at the battle of the first Bull Run. They got run over and were killed.

THE RULING PASSION.



"Well, so long, Bill! I have to catch this train."

ACCORDING TO DIMENSIONS.

"What made Langdon so short? Did he stunt his growth by smoking cigarettes when he was a boy?"

"No; he was brought up on condensed milk by his parents in order to fit the flat in which they lived."

SPORT IN THE OLD GREEK DAYS.

When Mercury left his shoes for a minute.

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FOR TIME AND ETERNITY.

"The flowers that we lay upon the casket may tell the living that we entertain a regard for the memory of the dead—they are always eloquent in their beauty—but they tell the dead nothing. It would be all the same to them if no flower was laid upon their pulseless hearts. They have passed beyond the touch of friendly love, or the burning of the most savage hate. One little flower placed in a wasted hand or held before an eye that is becoming dim, is worth an ocean of bloom upon the casket or the grave."

We find this thought, as true in philosophy, as it is beautiful in sentiment, floating unidentified over the seas of journalism. What a pity 'tis that the paper which first "faked" it, did not have the honor to give credit to its author, so that the litle wreath of just acknowledgment might be placed around his name. But come to think of it, may be it is better as it is. Being without ownership each one of us may be the more readily moved to adopt as our own. And what a glad world we would make of it if we did? How countless are the hearts weighed down, how innumerable are the hands discouraged because there is withheld from them the word of cheer and the grasp of friendly interest. Of all the things that wreck and murder none is so remorseless as indifference. That simply because it doth never stop to take account of the bloody slaughter it is wreaking. It is well we should drop a tear over the bier of loved ones and bring buds in sweet token of the departed friend, who shall never walk more with us, but there are other loved ones and other friends, living and to be found and made. How much more helpful the tribute, how much more precious the memory, if we should set thought for today and relieve the shadow of the morrow by overcoming indifference and speaking the affectionate thought and doing the kindly deed now. We would transform ourselves and transform those about us. We would change a community and a community would change a continent, and a continent an earth. For noble thought and generous deed are not as the fragrance which vanishes with the withering of the flower; they live on and have their ever widening influence through the ever coming years. You can see that for yourself. Inventory into the storage house of your memory and you will find that the most gracious and potent treasure there is the recollection of some loving word by a voice long silent or the work of a kindly hand long at rest. What has been done to you, you have done unto others, and what you do to others will be done along to others, so long as this great planet shall swing in its course. Remember that and remember what you owe to the living.

JUST THE OTHER SIDE.

Right now the great American public is being treated to a rare experience, sensible, truthful talk about the rich. There were united in marriage this week scions of the house of Gould, of New York, and of the house of Drexel of Philadelphia. These two families represent the extremes in the acquirement of wealth and circumstance. The colossal fortune of the Goulds was made in one life time, through railroad manipulations and is now in the second generation of its possession; the Drexel fortune was the accretion of safe conduct of banking and real estate investments and has been held for many generations. Combined the two represent one of the greatest and most powerful fortunes in the world, because it is composed of possessions that may be readily converted into cash. For some reason the two young people, whose union called present attention thereto, have aroused to attack none of that envy, or spleen, which any disday of the so-called "vulgar rich" bring down upon themselves. The metropolitan press is not seizing upon the occasion of the marriage to tickle the ears of the groundlings with racy stories of high life, but on the contrary they are as lavish of praise of the beauty and charm of the bride and the handsome manly qualities of the groom as any weekly dares to be in gushing over the "joining of the hearts and hands of two of our most prominent young people." It is this which makes the delectable treat. And why should we not have it oftener? Human nature is pretty much the same in whatever raiment you garb it, be it silks and satins to rags and tags. That is it is about the same on the average. A scandal affecting those of unusual prominence, from any cause, becomes the grosser and more common property because of that prominence. The favorites of fortune have their faults and their follies, some peculiar to themselves, but so have those in other conditions. We have had o'er much in these present times of the foibles and weaknesses of society, it is high time we should have at least a peep at the other side and enjoy it. We felicitate the happy couple and most heartily wish them bon voyage on life's seas.

It must be taken as peculiar anyway, that the man booted out of office was the first to fall welcomingly into the arms of Roosevelt.

IT DOES PAY.

Portsmouth is to have her fine new high school. That settles all effectiveness of contention, though we may still argue if it will pay, outside the advantages it will bring in an educational way.

Evidently it will, if we give heed to the argument our cheerful neighbor and rival, Huntington. Up there, according to the Advertiser, they are laying great stress upon the fact they are a better and more progressive town than Portsmouth because they have better school buildings.

The logic is good, but we dispute the promise, that Huntington has better school houses than Portsmouth. We know not how Huntington is equipped in that direction, but the figures it puts out to prove its statement are not convincing as to her superiority. Its school supevintendent asserts the enrollment has doubled in five years. In 1905, it was 2914, it is now 4577. According to the arithmetic of our schools 4577 is not twice as much as 2914, say by about one-half. To accommodate this increase 20 new school rooms were added, which would make it appear that Huntington's school facilities were magnanimous five years ago, or else they are not what they are cracked up to be now. Huntington has our permission to take either end of the proposition. For in that same period Portsmouth has built almost double forty rooms to hive her increased school population and she is going to build more right away. Another thing not to be overlooked is that Portsmouth has several hundred pupils in her parochial schools, while Huntington has none of this sort. Of course, all children are counted in the enumeration, though not in enrollment, but in discussing school facilities the parochial buildings will have to be taken into consideration. On the whole we can not see that neither in the total of its school buildings nor in the recent additions thereto, Huntington has anything on Portsmouth. It rather seems to be inferior, since it is admitted by the worthy superintendent that all are overcrowded.

True, nevertheless, that in the claim of superior schools Huntington is making claim that they are one of the most valuable advertising assets of a town.

SOME QUESTIONS ASKED.

We notice quite a number of our valued exchanges boosting this and that section of the country. Column after column they devote to describing the attractions and promises of states and territories other than their own. And they do it freely, voluntarily and without one cent of compensation to themselves in return. We want to ask them, if it be good business policy for themselves, if it be fair to the land from which they draw their sustenance? A newspaper will give free puff after free puff to booming some railroad or syndicate land project out west, for no other reason that it is asked to and is given the copy. But and mark you this, when one of its subscribers gets the western fever and comes in and offers his land for sale, it asks him ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents for each subsequent and he "kicks" on the charge, it calls him a niggardly old codger, behind his back, of course. It gave dollars after dollars to the stranger, but not one cent has it for the friend and patron. Is that fair? And another view. Supposing a section here in Ohio should reach the wise conclusion to advertise itself and would send out to western papers glowing descriptions of its advantages, its churches, its schools, its railroads and highways, its markets right at hand, its soil, which, with half the expense that it will cost to equip a new farm, can be fertilized to double the production of the latter asking them to publish them gratis, what would be the result? It would be laughed to scorn and the effusion contemptuously tossed into the waste basket. What is the difference, however, in the two propositions? Nothing, except one section has the nerve to ask something for nothing, while the other is foolish enough to give something for nothing, just because it is asked. The same amount of space given to "talking up" would yield something more in return more than the laugh at being an easy mark

WITHIN LIMITATIONS.

A decision of a western court, which is receiving much favorable comment, runs to the effect that telling the truth is not always advisable nor pardonable. At first blush, that seems altogether an erroneous and untenable position, but explanation puts a different phase upon it. The case in which the court gave this dictum was a suit for libel and the court held that the fact had long since occurred and recurrence to it could have no other object than a wanton and malicious purpose to injure. That seems fair and to some extent reasonable. The only possible fault to find with it is that the court itself lacks conviction of it. For it is a moral certainty that were the issue to come up to it, that learned body would hold, that in attacking the credibility of witness, for instance, either plaintiff or defendant could go far back into his past and dig up any circumstance that would be to his confusion, though it would get in the legal contention that such showing would be germane to the issue.

When you look at the great protuberance of hair that some women wear as a coronet adjunct on the rear of their dome of thought, it makes you think it must take a lot of nerve to claim it as all their own.

We never recognize ability at its true worth when we live too close to it. That is why a man does not rise as fast in the community in which he was raised as he does among strangers.

ALWAYS THE QUALIFICATION.

There is no such thing as perfection on this earth. Putting it in another way, there is nothing constructed, which something else will not do to prove destructive. To illustrate this axiom, let us use the case of fire-proof buildings. The architect and contractor will tell you in answer to your query, if a certain building be fireproof, that it is absolutely so. A thing can not be so unless it be absolutely so, thus the attempted qualification means nothing and is therefore surplusage. Then we come to the main point, that there is no such thing existing or possible as a fireproof building. That is there is only such relatively speaking. An all iron, stone, concrete or brick structure may not be ignited, but it does not follow from that it is impervious to fire. This was shown by a recent experience in New York, where a conflagration started in a so-called fireproof apartment house, built of concrete and steel, consuming all the furniture therein and totally destroying the two upper stories thereof. This was not owing at all to faulty construction, but arose from the fact that the heat was so intense it penetrated and cracked the floors and walls above and so communicated the flames to other parts. Let not this instance, however, be taken as an argument against the erection of "fireproof" structures, rather be it held a most positive call for them, especially in cities and towns. For it but shows how powerful insatiable a monster fire is, demanding every possible precaution against its ravages. Its only real master is water ,but barriers can be offered to it, making its conquering the easier and it is the part of wisdom to oppose them. A "fireproof" building is a barrier, affording safeguard to itself and lessening menace to other structures.

EVERY LITTLE HELPS.

Next Saturday will be "Tag Day," an invention of rather frequent usage, but still so novel to Portsmouth as to be untried here. It is to be hoped its introduction will be of bountiful result, for it is to be applied for a most praiseworthy project. The process of it will be no more than the pinning of a tag on citizens, generally by fair hands, with the hope that the persons thus distinguished, will show their appreciation by then and there making a cash donation to equip a children's playground at the lower end of York Place. The scheme is in charge of the Civic Improvement Association, a branch of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which will doubtless enlist a number of outsiders in its thorough operation. As we have said its object is laudable, while the place of its display is ideal. York Place is one of the loveliest spots on earth. Nothing is needed to complete its charm, except the laughter of children at play, and this will be heard if the people of Portsmouth exercise anything like their usual bounty. And there need be no fear that they will not. The sentiment of this "Tag Day" will appeal peculiarly to them. Each one of the now grown-ups can recall the joy there was as a child in a frolic on the grass in the golden sunshine, the delirium of the grape-vine swing and the wondrous mysteries that hung in the shadows of the green hillsides. He knows there are hundreds of the little ones who haven't got any place to romp, except the hard sidewalk, or the dirty street, with nothing to grab hold of to lift the feet from the ground; he realizes what a blessing a play ground all their own would be to them and he is going to open his heart to the gladsome memory and his pocketbook to the pleasure of those who know little of the rare joy of childhood as he knew it. No great sum will be asked, but all are expected to bear in mind that every little bit helps some.

A SOUTHERN PROTOTYPE.

Argentine will celebrate her national independence day, May 25th, with unusual circumstance because it will mark the one hundredth anniversary of her freedom from Spain and her establishment as an independent nation. Of course, she did not achieve that momentous result on the one day. As a matter of fact, she began her revolt about two years previous to 1810 and it was some years after that before she was recognized as a free government, but May 25th was fixed somewhat arbitrarily as her independence day, just as we fixed July 4th. In some respects the history and nature of Argentina is much akin to that of the United States of North America. Her government is similar with the exception that separate states are more sovereign, the nation being rather a confederacy than a union. In climate, soil and resources the likeness still further prevails, while their development is in rivalry. A tremendous immigration is pouring into Argentina from Europe and though she has something less than one-half the area of the United States, she will become the most formidable competitor with the latter as food purveyor to the world, she having proportionately far more arable lands. Her increase in population is just as phenomenal as ours and in five years she has increased her inhabitants by one-third and now has the third largest city on the North and South American continents, while of all the countries both she stands second in railroad mileage. In enterprise and progressiveness she is equalled to the south only by Chile, which alone is supposed to surpass her in belligerent spirit and martial accomplishments. This will not be for long, however, even as a supposition because the new population pouring into Argentina is coming largely from northern Europe, from whence comes the blood that makes the best fighters.

Lillian Honeycutte and H. A. Button were married at Fergus Falls a short time ago. There's a chance for some bright punster.

THINGS WE THINK

THINGS OTHERS THINK

And What We Think of the Things Others Think.

An eminent authority on the subject, has said that the training of the child should begin a hundred years before it is born. Fairly good results can be achieved, however, by beginning at its birth.

The man who has things charged has one disadvantage over the man who pays cash. He can not kick about not getting them on time.

The man who is always behind can not get stabbed in the back.

People generally don't care if God does know all the things we do if he won't tell the neighbors.

Morgan says the people eat too much. Quit stuffing us that way.

When a woman marries she loses her good name.

Tall as he is, Fairbanks seems to have overstepped himself at Rome.

Those who profess to believe that Johnson will lick Jeffries are looking on the dark side of the subject.

Roosevelt in the role of a sphinx does not appear natural.

With the near advent of summer it is time for dress reformists to look into the peek-a-boo waist.

When looking for help the employer usually passes up the man or boy who seems to have nothing to do.

The man who tries and fails is of more value to society than he who says he can't and succeeds at it.

The high price of steaks is meat for the beef trust.

Let not your tongue know what your brain thinketh.

The Standard Oil Co. dissolved. Too much water, probably.

"Uncinarn duodinalis" is the medical name of the hook worm. When you get that in your system and imbedded in your vitals you are all in.

Wilbur Wright is going to start a school to teach flying by mail. We would rather do ours that way.

Roosevelt states that the kangaroo has everything beat for jumping. Guess the colonel hasn't had his eye on the price of living.

In a short race the little dollar wins the prize.

A man made of common clay is not always a brick.

Some men like to blow about having been on a toot.

Insurgency seems often to be a matter of emergency.

Anyway Adam didn't trail around on Eve's apron strings.

You can not rise in the world without a solid footing.

A limited train of thought is not always the quickest.

If the prohibitionists should win in a national election ,the ship of state would ride on a cold water wave.

With the progress of aviation and the propagation of balloon trusts we will have more inflated stocks.

The Lord does not always provide, but he will get behind and push the fellow who goes after what he wants.

Some sinners who refuse to give up their street car seats to ladies may be glad to get standing room in heaven.

Count Zeppelin says he is going to the pole in a balloon—and we may soon expect more hot air on the subject.

The man who claims he can drink whiskey or leave it alone causes the temperance workers the most worry.

A cigarette consists of a fire at one end and a vacuum at the other.—Farm, Stock and Home. We presume the vacuum creates a drift for the fire.

The way to live happily with your wife is—to live with her.

The man who is on the square doesn't have to sneak 'roun'.

A FALSE LOGIC.

Basing stand on the case of a youngster, who first refusing to study anything at all, has, after his father by indirect processes interested him therein, become a prodigy in mathematics, a number of writers are arguing that it is impossible to force a boy to an education and that if he offers any adverseness thereto, the only way is to lure him to scholarship by something that interests and pleases him. They forget how true it is that one swallow does not make a summer, an instance does not prove a rule. This boy, Sidis, is his name, may have been unduly obstinate, or he may have been spoiled in his earlier days by foolish condescension to his whims; temperamentally he may have been of the kind, that needed coaxing, rather than coercion. But since he is a prodigy, developing an abnormal capacity for one study and attainment therein, without even commonplace talent for others, may it not be taken that he is a mental freak, whose case proves nothing, beyond the truth that there are exceptions to all rules and conditions? In the average child there is average intelligence, the best developer of which is the cultivation and exercise through obedience. If it be trained first to obedience it will find its best talents in due time. Once in a while a child is spoiled by harsh driving but a thousand failures are made through lack of enforcing obedience to one through enforcement. We have no fear in saying that not one child in a hundred would become a passable scholar if it were not through compulsion. Perhaps, this compulsion is not evident to it, but having been taught obedience it yields to parental authority without thought. Centuries ago a wise philosopher set it down that to spare the rod would spoil the child. The nature of youth has not changed one iota since that time and the only way to rightly direct its steps is to have mastership over them.